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THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under Contract with Government, despatch Steamers as above with Mails, Passengers, and Cargo, every fourteen days.

The Steam-ship "AGRA," 1,906 Tons, 180 H.P., Commander J. C. Shaw, will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 29th Nov. 1873, at 4 P.M.

| Leave BOMBAY | November 1873. | Leave Tuticorin | December 1873. |
|---|---|---|---|
| " Ratnagherry | 20 | " Colombo | 7 |
| " Vingorla | 20 | " Galle | 8 |
| " Goa | 20 | " Nagapatam | 9 |
| " Cowar | Dec. 1 | " Pondicherry | 12 |
| " Mangalore | 2 | " Madras | 13 |
| " Cannanore | 3 | " Cocanada | 15 |
| " Tellicherry | 4 | " Vizagapatam | 17 |
| " Calicut | 4 | " Bimlipatam | 18 |
| " Tanore | 4 | " Coringapore | 19 |
| " Cochin | 5 | " False Point | 20 |
| " Alleppy | 5 | Arrive CALCUTTA | 22 |

Cargo for Singapore and China can be booked by the Steamers on this line hence or from intermediate ports for transhipment at Galle to the Messageries Maritime Company's Steamers, which run regularly.

This route is the most expeditious and economical for Passengers for the Neilgherry District, Bangalore, and Madras, who can land at Calicut or Beypore, and proceed from thence by rail. Passengers for Calcutta may take the same route, picking up the steamer at Madras.

N.B.—No Cargo will be received on the day of sailing.

W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

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Interchanging Cargo and Passengers at Busreh, to and from Bagdad, with the Euphrates and Tigris Steam Navigation Company.

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The s.s. BURMAH, 1,081 Tons, 142 H.P., Commander T. SANDERS, will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 21st November 1873, at 2 P.M.

| Leave BOMBAY | Nov. 1873. | Leave BUSREH | Dec. 1873. |
|---|---|---|---|
| " Kurrachee | 2 | " Fao | 10 |
| " Gwadur | 25 | " Bushire | 12 |
| " Muscat | 28 | " Bahrein | 12 |
| " Bunder Abbas | 30 | " Linga | 17 |
| " Linga | Dec 2 | " Bunder Abbas | 19 |
| " Bushire | 4 | " Muscat | 21 |
| " Koweit | 6 | " Gwadur | 23 |
| " Fao | 8 | " Kurrachee | 26 |
| " Mahomerah | 8 | Arrive BOMBAY | 29 |
| Arrive BUSREH | 7 | | |

N.B.—No Cargo will be received on the day of sailing.

W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH KURRACHEE.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under Mail Contract with Government, and in connection with the weekly service from England, will during the fair Season despatch a Steamer from Kurrachee every FRIDAY, and an Extra Steamer every MONDAY, at 2 o'clock.

The Steam-ship PENANG, 698 Tons, 120 H.P., Commander F. Petrie, R.N.R., will be despatched on MONDAY, the 17th November 1873, at 2 P.M.

The Steam-ship BURMAH, 1,081 Tons, 142 H.P., Commander T. Sanders, will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 21st November 1873, at 2 P.M.

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FARES FROM BOMBAY TO

| Class. | Rewas. | Dhurumtur. | Oorun. | Hog Island. | Oolwa. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Rs. a. | Rs. a. | Rs. a. | Rs. a. | Rs. a. |
| First Class | 2 0 | 3 0 | 2 0 | 3 0 | 3 0 |
| Second Class | 0 12 | 1 0 | 0 8 | 0 12 | 0 12 |
| Third Class | 0 6 | 0 8 | 0 4 | 0 6 | 0 6 |

The Rewas and Dhurumtur Ferry Steamer leave Carnac Bunder daily at 8 A.M., and Dhurumtur at 1 P.M. The Oorun, Hog Island, and Oolwa Ferry Steamer leave Carnac Bunder daily at 8.30 A.M., and Oolwa at 1 P.M. Passengers are required to obtain Tickets from the Bunder Clerk previous to proceeding on board.

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TO LEAVE ABOUT 27TH NOVEMBER.

THE S.S. STRATHCLYDE, C. W. Pearson, Commander, 1,851 Tons gross, 1,000 H.P. effective, built expressly for the trade, will as above, taking first-class Passengers only at following rates :—

Fare to Liverpool...Rs. 500.
" Sur. " ... " 300.

Exclusive of Wines and Liquors, which can be procured on board.

This Vessel has very superior accommodation, and is fitted with Ice House, Piano, Punkahs, &c., and also carries a Surgeon and Stewardess.

The outward passage was accomplished under 31 days, including detention at Malta and in Canal.

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Bombay, 8th November 1873.

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THE Steamer DIDO, 1,235 Tons, will be despatched for TRIESTE, via SUEZ CANAL, on or about the 10th December 1873. This Steamer has only limited accommodation for a small number of Passengers.

RATES OF PASSAGE

(Including a liberal Table, exclusive of Wines and Liquors, transit through Egypt, and free conveyance of 3 cwt. luggage.)

| | Cabin. | Deck with Food. |
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| To Trieste | £40 | £19-0 |
| To Port Said | £30 | £14-6 |
| To Suez | £28 | £13-7 |

Children under 3 years of age, Free; above 3 and under 10 years, Half Fare.

Cargo taken for Trieste, also for Venice, Constantinople, and Odessa, Aden, Egypt, England, and the Continent generally.

For further particulars, and for Freight and Passage, apply to the Agency of the Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's Steam Navigation Company.

A. C. GUMPERT, Agent.

Bombay, Elphinstone Circle, 11th November 1873.

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## SHIPPING.

OVERLAND ROUTE.

On Monday, the 17th November, 1873, at 3 P.M., from Mazagon.

THE P. & O. Co.'s S. S. GEELONG (1,884 Tons, and 250 H.P.), Captain G. J. Bagot, will LEAVE for SUEZ, as above, carrying H. M.'s Mails, also Passengers and Cargo for that Port, Venice, Marseilles, Southampton, &c.

Cargo can also be booked through to Messina, Naples, Leghorn, Genoa, Trieste, Odessa, Constantinople, Ancona, Bayze, Liverpool, London, and New York.

No Cargo can be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

The Company reserve the option of forwarding all Goods shipped by their steamers for Europe, through Egypt, either by Rail, or by Canal, in their own steamers, or in vessels employed for the purpose.

Passengers are requested to send their heavy baggage to Mazagon on the day of the Steamer's departure, before 10 A.M., in order that it may be weighed and labelled previous to shipment.

A small Steamer will leave the New Dock Head at Mazagon, at 3 P.M., precisely, on the day of sailing.

GEO. F. HENRY, Superintendent P. & O. Company.

Bombay, 10th November 1873.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, AND JAPAN.

On Tuesday, the 18th November, at 3 P.M., from Mazagon.

THE P. and O. Co.'s S. S. MOOLTAN, (2,257 tons and 450 H.P.,) Capt. W. W. Pentman, will be despatched as above, carrying H. M.'s Mails, and taking also Passengers and Cargo for Madras and Calcutta.

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing, and no brokerage will be allowed on any chest of opium, the officer's receipt for which is not lodged at the Company's Office before noon, on Saturday, the 15th November.

GEORGE F. HENRY, Superintendent.

Bombay, 4th November 1873.

DIRECT STEAMERS VIA THE SUEZ CANAL.

THE PENINSULAR and ORIENTAL COMPANY propose to DESPATCH their LARGEST STEAMERS from SOUTHAMPTON to INDIA DIRECT, via the SUEZ CANAL, as follows :—

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| POONAH | 2,152 Tons, November 26th, | to Calcutta. |
| BYDASPES | 2,864 Tons, " 27th, | to Bombay. |

And others to follow :

PASSAGE MONEY TO BOMBAY.

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| FIRST CLASS | £66 |
| SECOND CLASS | £36 |

GEORGE F. HENRY, Superintendent.

Bombay, 31st October 1873.

## SALES BY AUCTION.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY, 2, MARINE STREET, BOMBAY.

USUAL AUCTION SALE.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 17th instant, at 2 P.M., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co will sell by Public Auction, at their Room,

25 Bales Grey Shirtings, 8 lbs.
15 Cases White Mulls.
10 Pieces Jaconets.
10 " White Cambrics.
5 " Blue Orange and White Prints.
3 " Blue, Green and Yellow ditto
10 Bales Woollen Cloth.

A Camera for 10 by 12 size portrait with lense, complete, by Ross, one camera for view for 10 by 12, also by ditto, another for 8 by 10 by Bland and Long.

By order of the Administrator General, the articles of furniture wearing apparel, and laboratory of the late Mr. W. H. Harris, Chemical Analyser, the same comprising camp cot, tables, chairs, leather trunks, cotton and woollen shirts, trowsers, coats, waistcoats, table and bed linen, &c., a lot of very valuable chemical distilleries and bottles, medicine scales in glass cases, weights, a large and one small microscopes in mahogany cases, with appliances, boxes of chemical object glasses, magnifying glass, glass funnels, flasks and cups, chemicals of various description in bottles, glass retorts, insects preserved in spirits, glass and cotton mustard pottals, distiller, enemas, hydrometer, plated spoons and forks, &c., &c.

3 Cases Fresh Gloucestershire Cheese.
3 " ditto ditto Bacon.

SALE OF BUSHIRE ASSAFOETIDA.

THIS DAY, Monday, the 17th instant, at 2 P.M., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co will sell by Public Auction, a Modykhana in the godown of Ega Hajee Mahomed Esmail Kirmanee, by order of Ag. Mahomed Hoosein Kassanee, and on account and at the risk of the first purchaser Manockchund Curumchund, Money or No Sale and Vellje Veerjee.

40 Cases Bushire Assafoetida.

CRAWFORD & Co.

Bombay, 17th November 1873.

SADANUND SHRICRISTNAJEE AND CO

WEEKLY AUCTION SALE.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, the 18th instant, Messrs. SHRICRISTNAJEE and Co will sell by Public Auction, at their Auction Room, the following :

A small shipment of superior Merino Shirts.
A few Fancy Tables Covers.
1 Small Case of French Muslins.
1 Case Lamps, Wicks and Sundry other Goods.
6 Silver Lepine Watches.
12 Silver Geneva Watches.
6 Gilt and Gene a Watches.
5 Bales 9 inch, 7 lbs., Grey Shirtings.
10 Do. 30 inch, 9 lbs., Grey Shirtings.

SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTIES AT LOWER COLABA.

On MONDAY, the 24th instant, Messrs. S. SHRICRISTNAJEE and Co are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on the premises, at 4 P.M., by order of Montgomerie Jeejeebhoy Framjee Cama, Esq., and on account and at the risk of the Montgomerie Dinshaw Eduljee Mistree.

Lot No. 1.

All that piece of land with messuage, standing thereon, situate on east side of and fronting the Eduljee Nowrojee Road at Lower Colaba in the Fort and Colaba sub-district in Bombay containing 99 square yards or thereabouts, and bounded on the north by the piece of land herein second described on the east partly by land belonging to Rahimbhoy Allebhoy, and partly by land belonging to Manockjee Nowrojee, on the south by land belonging to the said Rahimbhoy Allebhoy, on the west by the said Eduljee Nowrojee Road, which said piece of land hereinfirst described is rated in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue and the messuage thereon, bear No. 85, in the Books of the Collector of House Assessment and are now in the occupation of the said Dinshaw Eduljee Mistree.

Lot No. 2.

All that piece of land situate on the east side of and fronting the said Eduljee Nowrojee Road at Lower Colaba in the said Fort and Colaba sub-district in Bombay containing by admeasurement 72 square yards or thereabouts, and bounded on the north partly by land belonging to Sookoba Bhaujee Morey, and partly by land belonging to Kookjee Jaythe, on the east by land belonging to Manockjee Nowrojee, on the south by the land hereinbefore firstly described, and on the west by the said Eduljee Nowrojee Road, which said piece of land bears No. 89, in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue and is now in the occupation of the said Dinshaw Eduljee Mistry.

SADANUND SHRICRISTNAJEE & Co.

Bombay, 17th November 1873.

DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & COMPANY, No. 13, APOLLO STREET.

AUCTION SALE of Handsome Household Furniture, Plated, Glass, and Porcelainware, Carriages, Horses, Goats, a fine full-toned Walnutwood Cottage Pianoforte, &c., at No. 60, Bhulabar Hill.

On HURSDAY, the 27th instant, at 1 P.M., Messrs. DINSHAW HORMUSJEE and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the abovementioned place, the prop rty of C. J. Wadia, Esq.

The full particulars will appear hereafter. Catalogues will be given out, and the property will be on view, four days previous to the day of sale.

DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & Co.

Bombay, 17th November 1873.

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Bombay, 15th November 1873.

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GUNNY BAGS.

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For particulars apply to Undersigned before 1st proximo.

F. W. PEILE, Lt.-Col. R.E.,
Chief Engineer, I. V. S. Ry.

Mooltan, 11th November 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, that RADHA and NAAM daughters of YACOOB SESHA NISSIM, deceased, have CONSENTED to SELL to NAHAM JOSHUA ABRAHAM, all that piece or parcel of GROUND, with the messuage or tenement thereon, situate in Mistry square or other wise called Hoop Walk Lane, in the sub-district of Fort and Colaba, in the City of Bombay, bearing the assessment No. 3, he ground there of measuring about two hundred and thirty-nine square yards, and bounded on the east side by the property formerly of Yacoob Sesha Nissim, and now of Nahaam Joshua Abraham on the west side by the said Rope-walk Lane, on the south side by the property of Dadashey Cowasjee and Sons, and on the south by the property of Colonel Keating, and which said premises were formerly in the occupation of Hoosen Khan and are now in the occupation of Mr. L. Lawson. All persons having any claim on the said property, by way of mortgage, inheritance, or otherwise are hereby required to make the same known to us in writing, at our Office, No. 10, Forbes Street, Fort, within fourteen days from the date hereof, after which time the conveyance will be completed without reference to any such claim.—Dated this 14th day of November 1873.

TYABJEE & SAYANI, Solicitors.

THE GREAT EASTERN SPINNING AND WEAVING MILLS (Limited).

ધી ગ્રેટ ઈસ્ટર્ન સ્પીનીંગ એન્ડ વીવીંગ મીલ્સ, (લીમીટેડ.)

NOTICE.—The THIRTEENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Company's Mills at Chinchpoogly, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th inst., at 3 P.M., precisely, for the transaction of the following business :—

1.—To receive the Directors' Report and Auditors' Accounts for the year ending 30th June 1873, and to declare a Dividend.
2.—To elect Directors in place of those who retire by rotation.
3.—To appoint Auditors for the current year, and to fix their remuneration.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
BABAJEE CASSINATHJEE, Secretary.

Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills Office, No. 7, Hummum Street, Bombay, 15th November 1873.

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NOTICE.—In pursuance of a REQUISITION signed by Mr. BAPOOBHOY KALIDAS and eighteen other Shareholders of the Company, NOTICE is hereby given, that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders will be held at the Company's Mills at Chinchpoogly, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th inst., at 3 P.M., to consider and adopt the following RESOLUTIONS, to be brought forward by the Requisitionists touching Meeting :—

1st.—"That the present Company be wound up voluntarily."

2nd.—"That a Liquidator or Liquidators be appointed, and his or their remuneration be fixed."

3rd.—"That the Liquidator or Liquidators be authorised to transfer and sell the lands, houses, hereditaments and immoveable property, fixtures, effects, assets right, cash, business and good-will of the Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills, Limited, to the New Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mill, Limited, and to receive in compensation for such transfer and sale, the following sum and shares of the nominal value of Rs. 100 each, and also Rs. 325 in cash, in and for the said mentioned Company, for every one fully paid up share of Rs. 200 each of the Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills, Limited, of the New Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills, Limited, undertaking to pay and discharge the debts and liabilities of the said Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills, Limited, and to carry out and perform the agreements, contracts and obligations of the said Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills, Limited."

4th.—"That the Liquidator or Liquidators of the Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills Limited be authorized to purchase the interest of any dissenting shareholder under Section 173 of the Indian Company's Act, of 1866, by selling the shares or shares interest of such dissentient or dissentients in such manner as the Liquidator or Liquidators shall think fit at such rate as the Liquidator or Liquidators shall enter into a bargain to or by referring the matter of the claims of the dissenting shareholders to arbitration under Sections 176 to 181 of the Company's Act X. of 1866, fix as the price to be given to such dissentients, or by payment of such price out of the funds of the Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills, Limited, in and before such transfer is effected to the said New Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills, Limited."

By Order of the Board of Directors,
BABAJEE CASSINATHJEE, Secretary.

Office of the Great Eastern Spinning and Weaving Mills, Limited No. 7, Hummum Street, Bombay, 15th November 1873.

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SMALL SAILOR'S KNOTS.

| | | Cash. Rs. a. | Credit. Rs. a. |
|---|---|---|---|
| The St. Albans' | Washing Shot | 1 12 | 2 0 |
| " St. James's | Plain Colours | 2 8 | 3 0 |
| " Peer | Fancy Check | 2 4 | 2 8 |
| " G. C. | Fancy Stripes | 2 8 | 3 0 |

LARGE SAILOR'S KNOTS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| The Stroller | Washing Spot | 0 | 2 4 |
| " Promenade | Rich Plain Colours | 2 12 | 3 2 |
| " Duke | Fancy Spot or Stripe | 2 12 | 3 2 |

PIN SCARFS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| The University | Large—Fancy Stripe | 3 8 | 4 0 |
| " Kensington | Medium—Plain Colours | 2 12 | 3 2 |

MADE UP BOWS WILL SUIT ANY COLLAR.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| The Park | Plain Colors | 1 4 | 1 8 |
| " Toilet | Plain or Fancy | 2 0 | 2 4 |

UMBRELLAS, WITH FOX'S PATENT FRAMES.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Best Alpaca, very strong Natural Sticks | | 6 8 | 7 8 |
| Best Italian Silk, a large choice for | | 10 8 | 12 0 |
| Selection, Natural Handles | from | 12 8 | 15 0 |
| Finest Twilled Silk, Two vr Ribbs | | 15 8 | 17 8 |
| Ladies' Silk, fitted with light Natural Sticks | | 12 8 | 14 0 |

WALKING STICKS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Black Thorns, Pine, Hazel, Pimento, Cinnamon, Lemon, Orange, Oak, Rajah Canes, Miniature, and Monster Rattans | from | 1 0 2 0 | 1 2 3 0 |

LONG SCARVES,

TO TIE IN KNOT OR BOW.

| | Cash. Rs. a. | Credit. Rs. a. |
|---|---|---|
| Rich Silk, Winsor's Washing Silk | 1 12 | 2 0 |
| Fancy Check | 2 8 | 3 0 |
| Plain Colours' all the New Shades | 3 4 | 3 12 |
| Extra Super Scarfs, Rich Corded Silk, Plain or Fancy Colours for Ring or Pin | 4 0 | 4 8 |
| Narrow Black Corded Silk Ties | 0 14 | 1 0 |
| Extra Wide do. do. | 1 4 | 1 8 |
| Fancy Colours, Plain or Stripes | 0 14 | 1 0 |

DRESS TIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| The New-made Bow | 0 14 | 1 0 |
| The Peer Square Ends | 1 0 | 1 4 |
| The Park Fancy Ends | 1 0 | 1 4 |
| Plain White Ties, any width | 0 8 | 0 10 |

BRACES, BELTS, &c.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Best French Webb, light and strong | 1 12 | 2 0 |
| Guinoi's Celebrated, all Colours | 2 0 | 2 4 |
| Do. Plain Silk | 4 8 | 5 0 |
| Scarlet Berlin, extra length Brass Buckles | 2 8 | 3 0 |
| Cantab, strong India Rubber | 2 8 | 3 0 |
| Drab Elastic Belts | 1 12 | 2 0 |
| Ivrille Leather do | 1 12 | 2 0 |
| Bridle Leather, light and compact | 3 8 | 4 0 |
| A. & Co.'s Celebrated Cholera Belts, fitting the body close without pressure, best Saxony Wool | 3 8 | 4 0 |

LUND'S PATENT IVORY & GOLD } Lasts for years.

| | Cash. Rs. a. | Credit. Rs. a. |
|---|---|---|
| Fronts Studs, per set | 4 0 | 4 8 |
| Collar do. each | 1 8 | 1 12 |
| Solitaires, per pair | 4 8 | 5 0 |
| Links " " | 10 8 | 12 0 |

BEST CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS.

HEMMED AND WASHED FOR USE.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Gent's Best French | 2 12 | 3 2 |
| Dog Skins, "Deats" | 2 8 | 3 0 |
| White Military Buck | 3 12 | 4 |

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# COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

## SATURDAY, 15TH NOVEMBER.

EXCHANGES on London has remained firm, buyers not being disposed to give way in rates, the tendency being slightly in favour of an advance.

Government Securities are unaltered, and no transactions of any amount reported.

| | |
|---|---|
| Bank Bills, 4 months' sight | 1s. 10¾d. to 17/32d. |
| Credit Bills, do. | 1s. 10¾d. to 11/16d. |
| Documents, do. | 1s. 10¾d. |
| Bank Bills, 3 months' sight | 1s. 10¾d. |
| Credit, do. | 1s. 10¾d. to 5/16d. |
| Documents, do. | 1s. 10 5/16d. to ¾d. |
| Bank Bills, demand | 1s. 9¾d. |

On Calcutta Bank Bills, 60 days' sight. 99⅞
Do demand 100⅛

On Madras 30 days' sight 99⅞
Do. demand 99 15/16 to par

On China House Bills, 60 days' sight. 223½.

### GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

| | |
|---|---|
| Five-and-a-half per cent. | 110¼ |
| Four & half per cent. | 110½ to 13/16 |
| Four per cent. | 105 |
| Four & half per cent. (Public Works Loan) | 106 |
| Five per cent. Debenture Loan, 1866-67 | 103¼ |
| 15 years' Debenture Loans | 102½ |
| 10 years' do. do. | 105 |
| 5 years' do. do. | 103 |
| Six per cent. Municipal Loan House Rate | 112 |
| Do. Do. Market Rate | 112 |
| New French Loan 5 per cent. fully paid up of 1871 and 1872 | 92½ |
| New French Loan instalment paper of 1872 | 94 |
| Paris Municipal Loan (Debenture Rs. 117) per Bond | 115. |

Rates of discount at New Bank of Bombay—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Loans on Government Paper on demand | | 4 per cent. |
| Fixed Loans on do. | to 3 months' | 5½ ,, |
| Do. do. | over 3 do. | 6½ ,, |
| Do. on Merchandize | | 7½ ,, |
| Cash Credit do. | to 3 months' | 6½ ,, |
| Do. do. | over 3 do. | 6½ ,, |
| Do. do. | | 7½ ,, |
| Bank Bills | | 6½ ,, |
| Mercantile Paper | | 6 ,, |

### PRICES OF BULLION, &c.

| | |
|---|---|
| Sovereigns, each | Rs. 10 7/8 to 11 |
| Carolus | 220 |
| Mexican Dollars | 222 |
| Five-Franc Pieces | 224½ |
| Bar Silver | 59½ to 59¾ |
| Gold Loss | 17 |
| Bar Gold 10 oz. English 1000 touch | 17-6 |
| Australian Gold | 17-5 |

## FREIGHT REPORT.

### SATURDAY EVENING.

Freight by steamers are firm. By sail, not much doing.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| London | Cotton | No ships. |
| | Cases | |
| | Seeds | |
| Liverpool | Iron Ships Cotton | £2 5s. 0d. |
| | Wooden Ships ,, | £2 0s. 0d. nominal. |
| | Myrabolams | £2 0s. 0d. |
| | Coir bills | £1 10s. |
| | Seeds | £2 5s. 0d. |
| Havre | Cotton | No ship. |
| | Coffee | |
| Overland Steamers— | | |
| London | | £3 0s. 0d. |
| Venice | | £2 15s. 0d. |
| Trieste | | £2 15s. 0d. nom. |
| Liverpool | | £2 17s. 6d. |
| Havre Cotton | | £3 0s. 0d. |
| Liverpool via Suez Canal | Wheat | £2 15s. 0d. |
| | Seeds | £2 15s. 0d. |
| | Cotton | £2 15s. 0d. to £2 16s. 3d. |
| China | Steamer Cotton | Rs. 20 per ton. |
| | Opium | Rs. 25 to 30 per chest. |
| | Sailing Ships | Rs 4 per bale nominal. |
| Calcutta Salt | | Rs. 4 per ton. |
| Calcutta to Bombay | | Rs. 15 port charges. |
| Mauritius | | Nothing doing. |

### BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LIST.

SATURDAY, 15TH NOVEMBER.

MODERATE inquiry for Spinning and Colaba Land shares at quoted rates. Bombay Bank shares remain unchanged.

### BANKS.

| No. of Shares | Nominal value per sh. | Paid up. | Last dividend. | Names. | Cash Rates per Share. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Rs. | Rs. | p. a. | | |
| 100,000 | 100 | all | 5 p.ct. | Agra Bank | 93 |
| 22,000 | 1,000 | all | 6 p.ct. | Bank of Bengal | 1,460 |
| 10,000 | 500 | all | 12 p.ct | Do of Bombay New | 765 |
| 10,000 | 500 | 10s. | 12 p.ct | Do 2nd Res. Issue | 265 |
| 5,250 | 1,000 | all | 5 p.ct. | Do of Madras | 1,140 |
| 10,000 | 250 | all | 8 p.ct. | Chartered Mercantile Bk. of L. & China | 280 |
| 40,000 | 281¼ | all | 12 pct | Hong. & Shanghai Bank | 410 nl. |
| 40,000 | 200 | all | 5 pct. | Chartered Bk. of L. & C | 203 |
| 80,000 | 250 | 125 | 6 p.ct. | National Bank of India. | 125 |
| 10,000 | 250 | all | 12 do. | Oriental Bank | 495 |

### RAILWAY COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | £20 | 21s 9d | p.c | G. I. P. Railway Consolidated Stock | 241 |
| ..... | £20 | 19s 1½ | do. | Do. New £20 Shares | 136 |
| ..... | £20 | 17s 10½ | do. | Ditto | |
| ..... | £10 | 1,000 | do. | B. B. & C. I. Railway Co | 1,125 |
| ..... | £15 | 19s 5½ | do. | Do. New Shares | |

### LAND COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 4,000 | 3,000 | all | Rs. 60 | Colaba Land Co | 1,380 |
| 8,000 | 150 | all | Nil. | Frere Land & Pier Co. Ld. | 104 |
| 750 | 4,000 | 2,000 | 30p.c. | Mazagon Land | 945 |
| 56,000 | 1,000 | all | 15p.c. | Port Canning Land Company, Limited | 395 |

### SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 620 | 1,250 | all | 112½ p.c. | Alexandra Spinning | 1,480 |
| 560 | 2,500 | all | 140* | Alliance Spinning | 2,725 |
| 300 | 2,000 | all | | Bhowsuggur M. & P. Co. | 2,000 |
| 900 | 1,000 | all | 60* | Bombay United | 1,220 |
| 1,500 | 150 | 150 | 25* | Broach Mills | 255 |
| 2,500 | 4,000 | all | 300 p.c. | Dhurumsey Spinning | 1,700 |
| 120 | 7,000 | all | 300p.c. | Great Eastern | 2,650 |
| 750 | 1,000 | all | | Jewraj Hallo Mills | 1,200 |
| 1,500 | 1,000 | all | 75 p.c. | Manockji Petit's | 1,405 |
| 900 | 1,000 | all | 10 p.c. | Morarjee Spinning | 1,220 |
| 600 | 2,500 | all | 150 p.c. | Oriental | 3,700 |
| 600 | 2,500 | 400 | 200p.c. | Royal | 2,150 |
| 90 | 1,000 | 1 all | ... | Soonderdas Spinning | 1,000 |

* Per share for the half-year.

### PRESS COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 150 | 5,000 | 2,250 | 160 p.c. | Akbar Cotton Press Co | 1,650 |
| 300 | 2,000 | 1,100 | 150p.c. | Albert Co. Kurrachee | 850 |
| 100 | 500 | all | 15 pc. | Albert Ginning Co | 500 |
| 250 | 3,000 | 850 | Nil. | Alexandra Press Co | 215 |
| 150 | 12,000 | 11,000 | 100 p.c. | Apollo Press Co | 6 2 0 |
| 200 | 2,5 0 | all | ... | Berar Cotton G. & P. Co. | 1,400 |
| 200 | 2,000 | all | 200p.c. | Bombay Press Co | 1,050 |
| 200 | 500 | all | 30 p.c. | Do New | 275 |
| 350 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 100 p.c. | Broach Cotton Co | 550 |
| 100 | 1,500 | ... | ... | Burwar Company | 900 |
| 500 | 1,500 | all | 40 | Colaba Press Co | 4,200 |
| 250 | 9,000 | all | 250pc | East India Press Co | 2,700 |
| 150 | 8,500 | all | 300 | Fort Press Co | 5,500 |
| 200 | 1,500 | all | 75 p.c. | Framji Cowasji Press Co | 425 |
| 200 | 1,500 | all | 70 p.c. | Fremet Press Co | 650 |
| 200 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 225 p.c. | Hydraulic Press Co | 1,200 |
| 250 | 5,000 | 1,400 | 75 p.c. | Imperial Press Co | 800 |
| 200 | 400 | 350 | 60 p.c. | Mofussil Press & G. Co. | 570 |
| 120 | 2,500 | 750 | 125 p.c. | Prince of Wales Press | 1,800 |
| 200 | 1,000 | all | ... | Sassoon's Press Co | 600 |
| 400 | 800 | 750 | 135 p.c. | Scinde Press Co | 480 |
| 100 | 1,000 | 750 | ... | Scinde and Punjab Cotton Press Co., Limited | 1,475 |
| 125 | 1,500 | 1,350 | Rs. 80 | Victoria Press, Madras | 1,150 |
| 150 | 850 | all | 80 p.c. | Do. Cot. Gin & Press Co. | 850 |
| 450 | 1,000 | all | 80 p.c. | Volkart United Press Co. | 900 |

* Per share for the half-year.

### BANKS IN LIQUIDATION.

| | | Date of Liquidation. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ..... | 95 | 19½ | ... | Bank o' China | 1 |
| ..... | 250 | 2 | Mar. '68 | Central Bank | 1 |
| ..... | ... | ... | ... | East India Bank | 1 |
| ..... | 200 | 12 | Feb. '67 | Indian Peninsula | 1 |
| ..... | 200 | 70½ | May '67 | Royal Bank | 2 |

### SALES AND PURCHASES.

PIECE GOODS.

THE market continues very quiet, with very little doing, and prices have a downward tendency. The following sales are reported to have been made by European firms on Saturday :—

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2,500 pieces | Grey Shirtings | f. 40 in. 39 yds. 7 lbs. | Rs. | 4 15 | 0 |
| 6,000 | ,, | ,, ,, c. 40 in. 39 yds. 8½ lbs. | ,, | 3 9 | 0 |
| 1,250 | ,, | Long Cloth 36 in. 36 yds. 7 lbs. | ,, | 4 6 | 0 |
| 1,953 | ,, | ,, 36 in. 36 yds. 7½ lbs. | ,, | 4 11 | 0 |
| 750 | ,, | Jaconets 40 in. 20 yds. 2½ lbs. | ,, | 2 3 | 0 |
| 200 | ,, | T. Cloths f. 28 in. 24 yds. 5½ lbs. | ,, | 2 7 | 0 |
| 200 | ,, | ,, f. 28 in. 24 yds. 5½ lbs. | ,, | 3 9 | 6 |
| 203 | ,, | ,, f. 28 in. 24 yds. 6 lbs. | ,, | 3 12 | 0 |
| 600 | ,, | White G. Prints 36 in. 26 yds. | ,, | 4 2 | 0 |
| 1,200 | ,, | ,, ,, 32 in. 24 yds. | ,, | 4 12 | 0 |

COTTON.

The public telegrams continue to report more activity at Liverpool. Reuter's of the 14 h states the Liverpool market as closing steady, with sales 12,000 bales, of which 3,000 were Surats. Fair Dholleras is now quoted at 5¾ d. per lb., being an advance of ¼ d. per lb. In other kinds there is however no quotable variation. The Manchester Market is said to be quiet but unaltered, 7 lbs. are quoted at 7s. 6d., 8¼ lbs 9s. and 40s Mule at 1s. 0¾d. There exists an improved feeling in financial and commercial circles, and though there is no alteration as yet in the Bank of England's rates for accommodation, the directors will very likely make some reduction at their next meeting. The Cotton Market here closed steady without any change in prices. The following are our closing quotations :—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Comrawuttee | Rs. 180 to Rs. 184 | | |
| Broach, M. G. | ,, 180 to ,, 195 | | |
| Dh Berah & Bhowruggur | ,, 180 to ,, 185 | | |
| Sawgine | ,, 180 to ,, 190 | | |
| Compta & Viagoria | ,, 180 to ,, 184 | | |

The undermentioned purchases are reported to have been made by European firms on Saturday :—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 50 candies | Old Dholleras | Rs. | 180 to 181 |
| 50 ,, | Bhownugger | ,, | 185 |
| 125 ,, | Cutch | ,, | 173 |
| 25 ,, | Khandeish | ,, | 175 |
| 150 ,, | New Khandeish (1st Feb.) | ,, | 191 |
| 50 ,, | Broach (20th Feb.) | ,, | 225 |

YARNS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1,800 lbs. | Mule | No. 50's | at 12 | as. per lb. |
| 7,500 ,, | Mock | ,, 30's | at 10½ | ,, ,, |
| 9,000 ,, | Medium | ,, 40 to 60's | at 13½ to 19½ | ,, ,, |
| 3,300 ,, | Orange | ,, 40's | at 13½ | ,, ,, |
| 3,000 ,, | Green | ,, 40's | at 13½ | ,, ,, |

# SHIPPING.

## ARRIVALS.

| Nov. | Vessel. | Commander. | From |
|---|---|---|---|
| 14 | Pearl (s) | Doert | Cutch, Nov. 11. |
| 15 | Phlox (s) | Baker | Carwar Nov. 12. |
| | W Ilsm Cory | Creegon | Calcutta, Oct. 28. |
| | Vicksburg | Webste F | Live p ol, July 5. |
| | Mahi | Nacoda | Cochin, Nov. 2. |

## DEPARTURES.

| Nov. | Vessel. | Commander. | Destination. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 15 | Nubia (s) | Hall | Australia. |
| | Castlemaine | Pugh | Akyab. |
| | Ada | Casey | Mauritius. |
| | Assyria (s) | Howell | Coast and Calcutta. |
| | Phlox (s) | Baker | Coast and Carwar. |
| | H. M. S. Serapis | Bickford | London. |

The following vessels obtained their port-clearances on Saturday last :—

ship Walmer Castle, Wildash, to London via Cochin and Colombo.

Barque Hesperia, Rundel, to Kurrachee.

Histe Fatal Khare, Nacoda, to Demaun.

The following vessels were entered out for loading on S. turday last :—

Steamer Deccan, to Aden and Suez.

Steamer Pearl, to Coast and Cutch.

## CALCUTTA.

Nov. ARRIVAL.

12 Lightning ..... Chitfield ..... Singapore, Oct. 12.

Nov. DEPARTURES.

12 Madras (s) John Tennant (s) Birmingham and Storm King.

## MADRAS.

Nov. ARRIVALS.

12 Massilia (s) ..... Ca'cutta.

Pesin (s) ..... Suez, Aden and Galle.

Nov. DEPARTURE.

12 Massilia (s) ..... Galle, Aden and Suez.

## DAILY IMPORTS.—15TH NOVEMBER.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Killarney, s, 4 cases boots, L. Sullamanjee.

Celtis, s, 3 cases boots, B. S ma and Co.

FROM LONDON.

Strathclyde, s, 4 cases medicine, Bolton and Co; 17 casks iron nails, T. Adonjee; 33 cases rum, J. Nowrojee; 10 drums oil, R. Sorabjee and Co.; 8 cases corks, H. Rogers and Co.

Wimbledon, s, 3 cases tabacco, S. Cassonjee.

## DAILY EXPORTS—15TH NOVEMBER.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Shahpore, 6,000 bundles coir yarn, Premjee Runchordass; 96 bags linseed, Finlay, Scott and Co.

Celtis, s, 103 bales cotton, Shoonderdas Mooljee; 10 bales cotton, Borjee Ludha; 37 bales cotton, V. Monchund; 48 bales cotton, M. Heerachund; 1,000 bundles linseed, Henry Rogers; 1,168 packages wheat dates, Abdoola Moosaby; 300 bags sursee seed, Eachamand Dossaing, 90 bales cotton, H. M. Hussen; 640 packages wet dates, Lawrence and Co.

Arthur, s, 50 bales wool, J. D. Yurria; 3 bales cotton, Jaitha Pursoum; 80 bales cotton, Dyal Ruttonsey; 6 bales cotton, C Motha; 52 bales wool P. Yusta; 50 bales wool, A. Visram; 80 bales wool Cooverjee Khuttow.

Strathclyde, s, 1 325 bags wheat, W. Cumma; 20 tons old iron, Johnson and Co; 370 bales cotton, H. Cassonjee; 1,042 packages wet dates, P. Runchordas; 700 packages wet dates, A. Munjee; 600 packages wet dates, Ederjee Moonsey.

Deccan, s, 800 bales cotton, W. and A. Graham and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Deccan, s 2,350 bags wheat, Rolli Brothers; 5 cases cardamoms, M. Horry and Co.

Geelong, s, 480 pieces E teeth, M. Koobardass; 25 pieces E. teeth, M. Khunbhoy.

FOR SUEZ.

Geelong, s, 5 packages silk, Behrend Brothers; 5 chests silk, L. Mookchund.

FOR HONGKONG.

Mooltan, s, 191 packages sharkfins and fishmaws, M. Allana; 265 bundles sharkfins, F. Khakey; 1 case cumbay stone, E. Noordin and Co; 8 cases kismiss, Peerjee; 1 case cumbay stone, E. Noordin and Co; 8 cases kismiss, Peerjee; 1 Seamar; 50 cases chibaunm, A. Monsun; 15 bales twist, J. Peerbhoy; 10 bales twist, A. Boodroodin and Co; 5 chests opium, Cursetjee Bomanjee and Co; 130 chests opium, E. D. Sassoon; 15 chests opium E. D. Sassoon; 1 magrana; 156 packages fishmaws and sharkfins, Ladhabhoy Khakey; 136 bundles sharkfins, Curimbhoy Nanjee; 24 bales cotton, S. Taylor and Co; 55 chests opium, E. G. Abram; 7 chests opium, L. Lallachund.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Moolton, s, 10 chests opium, C. Bomanjee and Co; 5 chests opium, S. Heerachund; 1 chest opium, R. Juganath; 11 chests opium, T. Gunshandass; 7 chests opium, L. Lallachund.

# MILITARY.

ARRIVALS.—NOVEMBER 12.

Janes, Colonel, Royal Engineers, on leave, from North Konkun.

NOVEMBER 13.

Austin, Lieutenant-Colonel, Madras 40th Regiment N. I., on furlough, from Secundra ad.

NOVEMBER 14.

Hopkins, Surgeon Major, Medical Department, to rejoin, from England.

Wyllie, Lieutenant, Bengal Assistant Commissioner, to rejoin, from England.

Lee, Captain, Royal Engineers, to rejoin, from England.

Knapp, Surgeon, Medical Service, to rejoin, from England.

Cavendish, Lieutenant, Bengal 92nd Highlanders, on leave, from England.

Macallelan, Captain, Bengal Cavalry, on furlough, from New Zealand.

Grant, Lieutenant, Bengal 92nd Highlanders, on leave, from Chukrata.

Morgan, Major, Bengal 50th Regiment, from leave, from England.

Mantell, Surgeon Major, Bengal 9th Cavalry, from furlough, from England.

Nash, Surgeon Major, Madras Medical Department from furlough, from England.

NOVEMBER 15.

Thurburn, Lieutenant, Bengal Royal Engineers, on sick leave, from Calcutta.

DEPARTURES—NOVEMBER 15.

Durrant, Veterinary Surgeon, Royal Artillery, on duty, to Kirkee.

Townsend, Surgeon Major, Bengal Medical Department, on leave, to Nagpore.

Byng, Captain, Madras 6th Regiment N. I., on duty, to Secundarabad.

Dudley, Surgeon, British Medical Department, on duty, to Mount Aboo.

Nash, Surgeon Major, Madras Medical Depart., on duty, to Madras.

Baldam, Sub-Lieutenant, Madras 21st Hussars, on duty, to Madras.

Loch, Major, 1st Light Cavalry, from leave, to Poona.

Bell, Captain, Madras Hydrabad Contingent, from leave, to Mominabad.

Scott, Sub-Lieutenant, Madras 16th Lancers, on duty, to Secundrabad.

Sturt, Sub-Lieutenant, Bengal 30th Regiment, on duty, to Peshawar.

Warner, Sub-Lieutenant, Madras 18th Hussars, on duty, to Bangalore.

Thurburn, Lieutenant, Bengal Royal Engineers, on sick leave, to Australia.

NOVEMBER 16.

Sewell, Sub-Lieutenant, Bengal 15th Hussars, on duty, to Meyrut.

Falls, Colonel, Madras Royal Artillery, on duty, to Secundrabad.

## BENGAL GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Gazette of India*, November 12).

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

The following general notes have been recently appointed to be Members of the Bengal Civil Service, are to be Assts to the Magistrates of the Districts mentioned against their names, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the third class :—

Mr Lane 1st Hoare, Dacca, and David Bird Allen, Patna.

Edmond Elliot Lowis is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Singapore in the first grade, vice Mr W Lee Warner, employed on special duty.

The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Colonel Holroyd Smith to be a Member of the Commission appointed to inquire into certain irregularities of misbehaviour by Mr S N Banerjee, Asst Magistrate of Sylhet, in place of Colonel F G Lamb, who is prevented by illness from undertaking the duty.

Mr Thomas Taylor Allen is appointed to officiate temporarily as Additional District and Sessions Judge of Hooghly and the 24-Pergunnahs, from the date on which he may relieve Mr C D Field of the charge of that office.

Mr Frank Hunter Gorrow C S, is appointed to be an Asst to the Magistrate and Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the first class. Mr Barrow is allowed the usual subsidiary leave from the day following the date of his arrival in Calcutta on his return from furlough, to enable him to join appointment.

Mr William Henry Ryland is appointed to officiate temporarily as Judge of the Small Cause Court at Sealdah.

Mr Gopbon Mohun Banerjee is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Rungpore in the fourth grade from the afternoon of the 6th Nov, the date on which he relieved Mr E G Glazier, till the arrival of Mr E J Barton.

Mr Roger Henry Pawsey is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Mymensing in the first grade, during the absence on special duty of Mr H J Reynolds, or until further orders.

Mr John Lambert, Offg Deputy Commissioner of Police, Calcutta, is appointed to be Assistant of the Alipore Jail.

Mr Henry Neville Harris, Offg Deputy Superintendent of Police, Jessore, having returned to duty on the 22nd Sept, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him is cancelled.

The Reverend D B Morris, M.A., is appointed to be Chaplain of Howrah, with effect from the 1st Nov 1873.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Mr J Fennessy, Ex Engr, Second Grade, attached to the Dinagepore and Maldah Districts, who obtained furlough on medical certificate to proceed to Europe, having left India on the 12th Sept 1874, afternoon, will be borne on the list of the Engineer Establishment, as a Supernumerary in his Grade from that date.

Mr J Carey, Asst Engr, first grade, attached to the Moorshedabad District, is promoted to the rank of Ex Engr, fourth grade, with effect from the 12th Sept 1873.

The Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the formation of a new division in the Sonthal Pergunnahs, to be called the Buxar Division, subject to the approval of the Government of India.

Lieut A D McArthur, R E, Ex Engr, fourth grade, to be Ex Engr, Buxar Division, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of the division.

F R Bonkey, Asst Engr, first grade, having returned from the sick leave granted to him, is posted to the Buxar Division. The unexpired portion of the sick leave to be otherwise cancelled.

Mr F W R Cowly, Offg Canal Revenue Supt, Orissa, made over the duties of that office to the Collector of Customs on the 29th October, and resumed charge of the office of Canal Revenue Supt, Behar, on the afternoon of the 3rd Nov 1873.

Mr G Toynbee, C S, Canal Revenue Supt, Orissa, returned from privileged leave of absence on the 27th Oct 1873. The unexpired period of the leave is hereby cancelled.

Mr G F Moore, Probationary Asst Engr, third grade, is transferred from the Hoogelee to the Cossye Division.

Mr C W Hope, Ex Engr, third grade, reported his return from Behree, and joined the office of Supdg Engr, Sone Circle, on the afternoon of the 29th Oct 1873.

Mr F Fox, Ex Engr, fourth grade, Hidgelee Division, returned from privileged leave on the afternoon of the 31st Oct 1873.

## ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Head Quarters, Dehra, 5th November 1873.

The Commander-in-Chief is pleased to direct the following postings and transfers of General Officers :—

Major-General the Hon E A Hardinge, C B, to the Allahabad Division.

Major-General P Hill, C B from the Lahore to the Sirhind Division.

Major-General S C. Reid, K C B, to the Lahore Division.

Brigadier General W Olpherts, C B V C and Brigadier General W L Ingill, C B will resume command of the Rohilcund and Fyzabad districts, respectively.

Brigadier General A Sankey, C B to the Sealkote Brigade.

Brigadier General M A S Biddulph, C B, R A, will revert to regimental duty.

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to approve of the following distribution of Garrison Instructors throughout India consequent upon the extension to officers of the Indian Army of a system of instruction in force in Her Majesty's British regiment under Gen Order 275 of 1873 :—

Major A S Cameron, V C, 25th Foot, from 2nd Septr 1871, to Umballa.

Major T E A Hall, 40th Foot, from 2nd Septr 1871, to Poona.

Major A S Hunter, Royal Artillery, from 2nd Septr to Rawulpindee.

Capt G G H nnan, Royal Artillery, from 2nd Sept 1871, to Secunderabad.

Capt H R Griffiths 50th Foot, from 2nd Septr 1871 to Mhow.

Capt P C Stacy, 26th Foot, from 2nd Septr 1871, to Meerut.

Capt W F Nelson, Royal Artillery, from 2nd Septr 1871, to Rangoon.

Capt O W Braine, 56th Foot, from 16th Decr 1871, to Mount Abo.

Brev Capt A L'E H Holmes, Ben Staff Corps, from 26th Septr 1872, to Dum-Dum.

Capt C H Wash, 44 h Foot, from Bangalore (Class A).

Capt C E Gardner, 12th Foot, from 22nd Janr 1873, Lucknow.

Lieut Col J Baillie, Ben Staff Corps, from 22nd Augt 1873, to Agra.

Major J C Tayler, Royal Artillery, from 22nd Augt 1873, to Bangalore (Class B.)

Capt J Haughton, Royal Artillery, from 22nd Augt 1873, to Allahabad.

Brevet Capt H B Nangle Mad Staff Corps, from 22nd August 1873, to Trichinopoly.

Lieut E M Larmine Royal Engineers, from 22nd Augt 1873, to Peshawar (offg.)

Regiments which are detailed to form part of the Force to be assembled at the Camp of Exercise at Bourkee, will take with them the tools received for Shelter Trench Drill. On the breaking up of the camp, these tools will be returned to the Ordnance department, which will arrange for their return to the stations from which they were brought.

Attention is directed to a clause 125 of War Office Circulars, dated the 1st September 1873, (War Office forms.)

With reference to G O C N I, 1112 of 1873, the Commander-in-Chief is pleased to post Brigadier General O E Rothney, C S I, to the Agra Brigade.

With the sanction of Government, Colonel C O Creagh-O-borne, C B Supt of Gardens, Nursuppoor, in India, is directed to proceed by troop ship upon duty to England, at the public expense, at an early date reporting himself on arrival to the Secretary of State for India, and to the Adjutant General Guards.

This officer's services will be available for duty with troops on the voyage.

Lieut Col J T Watson, B S C recently returned from furlough is posted to Sealkote for general duty, at his own request.

Under instructions from the Horse Guards War Office, Major Miller, Brigade Major to the Inspector General of Royal Artillery, in India, is directed to proceed to England, when relieved by Captain F Pitt, G G Bilwey, adjutant F Battery B Brigade R H A to which he has been appointed.—Travel at the public expense.

Addendum to G O C C dated 2 th Sept 1873, para 386, posting Lieut Col H H Stansfeld to Simla for duty, add as a second para.—

Lieutenant Colonel Stansfeld will proceed to Simla at once, at the public expense.

The following orders are confirmed :—

Rawulpindee Division order, dated the 15th Octr 1873, appointing Major J A Seagrim, Staff Corps, to officiate as Asst Adjt Genl, vice Brev Lieut Col G D Eedes, on leave.

Umballa Brigade order, dated the 13th Octr 1873, directing Ve y Surgeon W Boyd to take over veterinary charge of the horses of F Battery F Brigade R H Artry, from Veterinary Surgeon Symonds, pending arrival of Veterinary Surgeon W Gillard.

10th Hussars.—Regimental order, dated the 17th Octr 1873, appointing Cornet E A Wood to act as riding-master, with effect from the 15th idem.

1st Battalion 14th Foot.—Regimental order, date the 4th October 1873, appointing Lieut W A Ridgeway to be Assistant Instructor of Musketry from that date, vice Lieut J Reid.

2nd Battalion 19th Foot.—Regimental order, dated the 14th Octr 1873, directing Capt J C T Humfrey (recently promoted,) to continue to perform the duties of Adjutant until further orders.

55th Foot.—Regimental order, dated the 20th Octr. 1873, appointing Lieut W I Pitt to be Asst Instructor of Musketry, with effect from the 20 h idem.

10th Bengal Cavalry.—Regimental order, dated th 16th Octr. 1873, making the following appointment, consequent on the return from general leave of Capt and Adj H Greenway, and Capt O Barnes, 2nd Squadron Officer, reverting to his appointment as offic 2nd in Command :—

Capt D M Strong, 1st Squadron Subaltern, to officiate as 2nd Squadron Officer, in addition to his other duties, with effect from the 15th Oct 1873.

93rd N I—Regimental order, dated the 11th July 1873, directing Surgeon G Orlebar, to assume medical charge of the regiment vice Surg T Lyons as a temporary measure.

37th N I—Regimental order, dated the 16th Oct 1873 appointed Capt A Montriou, Adjutant, offg Wing Officer, to perform the duties, consequent on the departure on sick leave to Europe, of Lieut Sir C H Leslie, Bart, and Wing Subaltern an offg Adjt.

The undermentioned officers have leave of absence :—

General Staff.—Capt W S A Yoe hart, (Depy Assnt Qrmr Genl Peshawar District,) to part of embarkation, for one month from date of availing himself of it, preparatory to furlough to Europe, on private affairs.

5th Lancers.—Capt and Paymaster J W McFarlan, for two months from the 16th and 17th Octr, in extension, to enable him to rejoin.

Royal Artillery.—Maj J H Brown, (H Battery 5th Brigade, to England overland, from date of embarkation, to appear before a medical board.

29th Foot, (2nd battalion).—Qrmr T P Geoghegan, to port of embarkation, for one month from date of quitting regiment; and thence to Ireland, for fifteen months, from date of embarkation, on private affairs.

This cancels the leave granted to Quartermaster Geoghegan, in G O C 12th April 1873, p. 184).

29th Foot—Lieut A M Lane LeMarchant, to Bombay, for one month from date of quitting regiment, to appear before a medical board.

29th Foot—Lieut J D Lysaght, to England, per troop ship, from date of embarkation, to appear before a medical board.

58th Foot—Lieut H M Nuthall, to Jhansie, on private affairs, from the 1st November until date of embarkation of the 58th Foot for England.

72nd Foot.—Capt J M Tisgombe, to Bombay, for one month from date of leaving regiment, to appear before a medical board.

80th Foot—Lieut J A M Vipan, to England, from date of embarkation, to appear before a medical board.

General List, Infantry.—Capt H P Kirke, 42nd Wing Subaltern 3rd N I, to port of embarkation, for one month from date of availing himself of it, preparatory to furlough to Europe on private affairs.

Bengal Cavalry.—Lieut Col G Ward, (doing duty at Agra,) to remain at Nynee Tal, on medical certificate from the 15th Oct to the 15th Dec inclusive.

British Medical Service—Surgeon Major J D Sainter, in medical charge Fort Lahore,) to Bombay for one month, from date of quitting station or embarkation, to appear before a medical board.

Indian Medical service—Surgeon R E Robinson, (offg in medical charge 39th N I) to Bombay for one month from date of leaving regiment to appear before a medical board.

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## TARTUFFE-ISM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—I am sure many people will agree with the sentiments expressed in your leading article to-day, and I trust the press will try to put down the snobbishness that is so very visible in what is called fashionable society in India. People who have been accustomed in England to as good society as can be found here are considered inferiors by others, who either through interest or merit or toadyism happen to secure high official positions. It is a common complaint that these big swells (who would be very little ones at home) think themselves too high and mighty to be ordinarily civil. They receive visits as a kind of homage paid to greatness, which ordinary people must be content to worship and adore! It would be well if they imitated the example of H. E. the Governor, who takes some notice, as all gentlemen should, of politeness and respect shown to him.

14th November. X. Z.

## THE KATTYWAR OUTLAWS.

### BAHIRWATAI IN KATTYWAR.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

Of the six Wagheer outlaws who surrendered a few days ago, four have been condemned to death and two to transportation for life by a Commission in which a Political Assistant sat as President. Two others not of the band, but men who have been proved to be connected with it, have been sentenced to ten years' incarceration with hard labour. A Bava, a notorious murderer, was killed in an affray, and others of the original band which attacked the Gondul police guard at Mehrwudder have been accounted for. The prisoners were chiefly Gaekwadi subjects, but being taken redhanded in the Jam's territory, were subject to his jurisdiction and have been promptly dealt with by a mixed commission of H. H.'s officers headed by an officer of the Agency. Thus there has been no dallying allowed with outlaws under Mr. Peile's stern *régime*; but those who have taken up arms and defied authority have been ruthlessly hunted down. No stone has been left unturned in the hunt for them, and the utmost publicity has been given to the fact of their being out, and to the measures taken to hem them in. On the other hand, no undue importance has been allowed to merely social offences common in all societies, which may be used so as to swell a criminal return to awful proportions, but give an utterly unfair index to the political state of the country. Men who go out and commit outrages (here called *bahirwatai*) for political reasons are *bahirwatias*, and none others. I will instance the common case of a Grassia claiming a lapsed estate; if he does not (I may now say did not) get it, and if repeated appeals to the Political Agent, the Government, and even to the Queen's Majesty did not give it to him, he would go "on" and harass his neighbours' lands and kill or mutilate every one he might meet till he was compounded with. It has been the fashion of late, however, to show as political malcontents disappointed suitors of all grades, down to the timid Bania, disgusted in some caste dispute, who have removed from their villages in dudgeon. There are, however, plenty of the true sort of Bahirwatia without these; and perhaps may be so long as Kattywar is Kattywar—divided into hundreds of chiefships and the air of England in the time of the Edwards around it all as we now see it. Sometimes the durbars, as the chiefs love to be styled, are strong, and then they try a little oppression on their subordinate landholders. More often the Bhayad are the stronger, and then *they* try to evade payment of the dues for which they hold their lands, or they will join in no public improvements, support no schools, be subject to no laws but their own wills, and when they are numerous and united as, say in Palitana, where they own sixty out of the one hundred villages forming the chiefdom, your readers may imagine the discord.

In times gone by, in fact until Colonel Keatinge's firm hand took the rudder, the Political Agent "mediated," as the phrase is—that is, he interposed with his advice—he suits were long and desultory, fines would be imposed, and possibly an attachment of the property in question would follow. But the attachment meant no more than what the parties chose to let the Government receiver take, and the fines were not always paid. Colonel Keatinge, where he acted at all, acted with the authority attaching to his high position where he did not and could not act he never pretended to do so, but sent the complaint back to his own chief, *i.e. to the defendant*. Great discontent followed, for however lax the interference of Government for the sub-landholders had been, it was *yet something*: it held out some hope and had been their right for fifty-five years. It is to meet this difficulty that the Rajasthanic Court has been devised, which admits claims respecting *gras* patrimonial real estate or ressembling "gras" from any one who can show himself to be either grassia or dependent relative of a chief after a single decision by the durbar concerned.

*In this Court* the Grassia interest is represented by the president—a tried officer of ample experience in the peninsula of Kattywar—and the durbars, by two selected members approved by Government.

It is impossible to imagine a fairer or more interesting experiment—suits are tried on their intrinsic merits upon the spot, and by the local law of the country which if un-written is well understood, and the long-desired finality is provided, for by all appeal being denied, although for the due observance of order the control of the Political Agent is specially mentioned in the Court's charter. Would it were certain that so interesting an experiment is to mature under Mr. Peile's far-sighted rule. At present the feeling of interregnum in Kattywar is against it. Some believe it too good to be true, and some believe jealousy will not allow it to take root. Be this as it may, the Rajasthanic Court makes all resort to outlawry absurd. Gras questions now obtain abundant hearing, and every point of view is allowed to be presented; as a consequence, the family estates of persons going out will now be declared forfeit, a point which Government has hesitated to declare, because while hitherto we had put down outlawry with a strong hand we had not provided a remedy for wrongs of which outlawry was then the expression. The province has got the balance that it has long wanted—a fair hearing for all gras claims, and a stern reprisal of all offences.

## BOMBAY.

BOMBAY UNIVERSITY.—The Matriculation examination in connection with the Bombay University commences to-day.

GRANT MEDICAL COLLEGE.—Dr. Knapp, one of the Professors of the Grant Medical College, arrived here by the mail steamer on Friday.

CRIMINAL CASES.—Up to Saturday five cases had been committed by the several magistrates of police for the ensuing Criminal Sessions of the High Court.

SECRETARIAT DEPARTMENT.—The Revenue and General Departments of the Secretariat will be removed to the new Secretariat building to-day.

THE WAGHEER OUTLAWS.—His Highness the Gaekwar of Baroda offers a reward of Rs. 1,000 for the apprehension of each of the four Wagheers now in outlawry in Kattywar.

ASSAULT.—On Saturday, at the Fort Police Court, Mr. Nana Morojee sentenced one Ahmed Hoossein to three month's rigorous imprisonment for assaulting an officer of the Evening Star.

THEFT OF A CLOCK.—A servant of Mr. Rankin, residing at Bellasis Junction Road, reported to the police on Friday, the loss of a clock belonging to his master. Enquiries are being instituted.

THE BARODA COMMISSION.—The native newspapers of this Presidency are of opinion that every opportunity should be given to Maharaja Mulharao to make his defence before the Baroda Commission.

THE GAEKWAR'S ADVOCATE.—The *Rast Goftar* states that Mr. Nanabhai Haridas, late a Judge of the High Court, has been appointed by the Gaekwar as his vakeel to represent him before the Baroda Commission.

ACCIDENT.—A Maratha named Dadoo Cassiba, a labourer, employed at the Albert Mills, got three fingers of his left hand seriously injured by the machinery on Friday. The man was removed to the Jamsetjee Hospital.

THEFT.—At the Fort Police Court on Saturday, before the Senior Magistrate, a Maratha named Rowjee Appa was convicted of stealing a silver waist-belt, of the value of Rs. 31, belonging to one Ruckma Dowlutta, and sentenced to a month's hard labour.

INTERPRETERS TO THE BARODA COMMISSION.—According to the *Rast Goftar*, Rao Saheb Harilall Mohunlal, Mamlurdar of Dhud, in Kaira, and Rao Saheb Balkrishna Babajee, Mamlurdar of Malligaum, have been appointed by the local Government as interpreters to the Baroda Commission.

DANGER OF LOADING CHILDREN WITH ORNAMENTS.—A man named Ramchunder Bapoojee reported to the executive police on Friday that his child, a girl about two years old whilst playing on the verandah of his house at Mooghbhat, a gold ornament, valued at Rs. 240, was stolen from her person. Inquiries are being made into the matter.

PROGRAMME OF MUSIC to be played by the Town Band at the Esplanade Band-stand this evening:—

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| March | Fulton | | Gurteer. |
| Quadrille | After Dark | | Coote. |
| Selection | Ebbreo | | Appoloni. |
| Valse | Erinnerung | | Gung'l. |
| Aria | Traviata | | Verdi. |
| Galop | Neck and Neck | | Godfrey. |

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

A NOTED THIEF.—A Goanese named Francis Pereira, a noted thief, was on Saturday charged before Mr. Connon with being drunk and disorderly in a public place; also with assaulting one Budha Meerza Bauker. The man said that he was tired of the jail, and requested the magistrate to commit him to the Court of Criminal Sessions, so that he might be sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. He was fined Rs 20, with the alternative of fourteen days' rigorous imprisonment.

A VAGRANT.—Alexander Thornton alias A. Stewart a European, was charged before the Senior Magistrate on Saturday, at the instance of Mr. Inspector Raymond, with being a vagrant and wandering about without any visible means of subsistence. Defendant said that he was a teacher to some bhungies, and that he had means to support himself. When asked by the Court to produce the bhungies in the Court, he said he would not do so. Mr. Raymond proved that the man had no means to support himself, and the magistrate therefore ordered him to be sent to the Government work-house.

ENTERTAINMENT TO SIR JAMSETJEE JEJEEBHOY.—Some of the vernacular papers express much gratification at the reception given to Sir Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy at Jubbulpore and other places on his way to Agra, as a compliment paid to the community of which he is the acknowledged head. We ought to have noticed that Sir Jamsetjee was similarly honoured even in Bombay. On the evening preceding his departure from Bombay he and his three sons were handsomely entertained at a party given to honour them by Mr. Byramjee Nusserwanjee Serwai, at his residence at Mazagon. A few of the leading Parsees of Bombay were present at the entertainment, the arrangements in connection with which had been made on a liberal scale.

CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS OUT OF A SUIT IN THE HIGH COURT.—On the application of Mr. Crawford, of Messrs. Leathes Crawford and Bovey, on behalf of his client, Mr. Pundlick Narayen, Mr. Nana Morojee granted a summons recently against Khullucksing Khulphanbhoy, Jan Mahomed Khullucksing, and Dinajee Raghunath, charging the former two with intentionally giving false evidence in a judicial proceeding in the High Court, with fabricating false evidence and false accounts, with the view of the same being used in a judicial proceeding, with dishonestly making a false claim in a court of justice, with secreting a document with the intention of preventing the same being used as evidence in a judicial proceeding, and charging Dinajee Raghunath with intentionally giving false evidence in a judicial proceeding, and charging the several parties with abetment and conspiracy in respect of the said several offences. The summons was made returnable on the 20th instant. Mr. Fletcher, of Messrs Manisty and Fletcher, applied to His Worship on Friday last, on behalf of the defendants, that an earlier day might be fixed for the hearing. Mr. Crawford appeared for the prosecution. His Worship said that the earliest day he could have fixed had been mentioned in the summons, and that he could not grant the application. It was ultimately arranged that the case should be taken on the 20th instant, the day originally fixed.

SASSOON MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—We are sorry to hear that the Committee of the Sassoon Mechanics' Institute has decided not to have lectures this year. That is the more especially to be regretted, as the Government has consented to give annually *half* the expenses.—*Argus*.

NEW THEATRE AND OPERA HOUSE.—We understand that Mr. Littlewood, the contractor for the Bombay Municipal Offices, Sassoon House, &c., has obtained the contract for the construction of the new Theatre for the Italian Opera, to be erected near the Queen's road, under the auspices of Signor Lazoli.—*Id*.

AN AMALGAMATION.—We hear that the directors of the Broach Cotton Company are anxious to amalgamate with the Mofussil Company, the profits to be equally divided. There is much competition at Broach between ginning companies, and the private factories charge less than the companies, so that the wisdom of the proposal may be questioned, especially as economy in working would do all that is required. From accounts received it is probable that much of the Broach ginning business will be diverted to the north of Guzerat.—*Id*.

THE BEAUTIFUL AND SUBLIME.—We doubt not the case of the beautiful Fuluckscor, the well-known Georgian girl, is still fresh in the minds of our readers. On the recommendation of the Commissioner of Police, the local Government, we understand, have granted a reward of one hundred rupees to Haji Abdoolla, the person who gave the information as to her being taken away to Hyderabad for sale by the Surk Syed Mahomed Burgundy, who was tried and sentenced by the High Court at the last Sessions: and also a present of a watch of the value of two hundred and fifty rupees to Moola Kassim, the Persian gentleman who acted as interpreter during the trial.—*Id*.

## PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

THE P. AND O. Co.'s s. s. GEELONG, Captain G. J. Babot, will sail to-day for Aden and Suez with the English mail and the following passengers:—

FOR SOUTHAMPTON.

Mrs. Bradshaw.
Mr. Grea e.
Revd and Mrs. J. Richards and two children.
Mr G. Alderson Smith.
Major and Mrs. Stevens.
Mr. Carry.
Surgeon Major Bateson.
Mrs Harris, and two children.
Captain F. W. Macmillan.
Revd and Mrs. G. G. Gillan and two children.
Mr. F. Smith.

FOR BRINDISI.

Mr. W. R. Benson.
Mr. W. C. Powden.
Lieut. Col. Austin.

FOR VENICE.

Mr. and Mrs. Brandreth.
Captain F. Galloway.
Captain Clifford.
Colonel Doria.
Lieut. J. M. Grant.
Mr. James Kerr.

FOR SUEZ.—Captain Boyle Vandeleur.

FOR GIBRALTAR.—Mrs. Prixuto, and six children.

FOR ADEN.—One deck passenger.

## SHIPPING ITEMS.

THE BARQUE HESPERIA, 448 tons, Captain T. Rundle, will sail to-day for Karrachee with a general cargo.

THE SHIP WALMER CASTLE, 1064 tons, Captain W. Wildash, will sail to-day for London via Cochin and Colombo with a cargo of 200 tons old iron, and 320 cwts. horns.

THE S.S. PEARL, 356 tons, Captain C. Doert, arrived in harbour on the 14th instant from Coast and Cutch (November 11th), with a cargo of three bundles specie and one hundred and twenty deck passengers.

THE S.S. PHLON, 141 tons, Captain G. J. Baker arrived in harbour on the 15th instant, from Coast and Carwar (November 12th) with fifty deck passengers; and sailed on the same day for the same ports with a general cargo and twenty-one deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s s. s. ASSYRIA, 969 tons, Captain E. H. Howell, sailed on Saturday last for the Coast and Calcutta, with a general cargo and the following passengers:—For Carwar—Mr. Shallis. For Vingorla—Mr. G. B. D. Adams and servant. For Cansanore—Mr. H. P. Drummond. For Tellicherry—Mr. O. Jones and Mr. E. Griffiths. For different ports—Fourteen deck passengers.

STATE OF THE TIDE AT BOMBAY.

| HIGH WATER. Time. | Height. | NOVEMBER. | LOW WATER. Time. | Height. |
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| H. M. | FT. IN. | | H. M. | FT. IN. |
| 9 31 m | 2 9 | | 3 37 m | 2 10 |
| 10 19 a | 4 7 | Monday..... 17 | 3 54 a | 5 2 |
| 10 1 m | 3 11 | | 4 15 m | 3 2 |
| 10 52 a | 5 5 | Tuesday..... 18 | 4 18 a | 6 0 |
| 10 29 m | 3 11 | | 4 49 m | 3 1 |
| 11 27 a | 6 1 | Wednesday ... 19 | 4 48 a | 6 10 |
| 11 1 m | 4 0 | | 5 24 m | 3 2 |
| ..... | ..... | Thursday ..... 20 | 5 32 a | 6 8 |
| 0 4 m | 6 5 | | 6 0 m | 3 1 |
| 11 33 a | 4 1 | Friday ..... 21 | 5 53 a | 7 4 |
| 0 37 m | 6 7 | | 6 34 m | 2 10 |
| 0 6a | 4 0 | Saturday ..... 22 | 6 28 a | 7 7 |
| 1 15 m | 6 5 | | 7 12 m | 2 8 |
| 0 43 a | 3 9 | Sunday ..... 23 | 7 6 a | 7 3 |

Moon—New, 20th, 5h. 27m. A.M.

## THE NICOL PRESS COMPANY.

AN extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the company was held on Saturday last at the office of Messrs. W Nicol and Co., secretaries and treasurers, for the purpose of passing certain important resolutions which had been duly advertised. There was some difficulty in securing a quorum, but after a while the proceedings commenced in the presence of eleven shareholders. Mr. W. G. Hall was in the chair.

The notice convening the meeting being read, the following resolutions were passed without any discussion:—

Proposed by Mr. Nursey Kessowjee, and seconded by Mr. Sewjee Premjee, that the special resolution No. 2, passed at the extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of this Company, held on the 25th day of October 1873, be and the same is hereby confirmed.

The special resolution above referred to provided that the capital of the company be increased from seven to twelve lacs of rupees by the issue of 250 new shares.

Proposed by Mr. Ardasir Manockjee, and seconded by Mr. Framjee Pestonjee—That the directors be, and they are hereby, authorized, in addition to the powers in that behalf conferred upon them by the 54th article of association, either by bills of exchange or other negotiable instruments pledging the credit of the Company, or by mortgage of any of the property of the Company, whether moveable or immoveable, to raise and borrow for the purposes of the Company monies not exceeding on the whole three lacs of rupees.

Proposed by Mr. W M. Macaulay, and seconded by Mr. W. Gordon—That the directors do repay the monies to be borrowed by them in pursuance of the foregoing resolution as soon as practicable, and that they be at liberty to apply, in or towards repayment thereof, the premia to be hereafter received by them upon the issue of shares in the company.

Proposed by Mr. J. Dyce Nicol, and seconded by Mr. Soonderrao Raghunath—That the directors be, and they are hereby, authorized to commence forthwith and to complete the conversion of the property of the Company into spinning and weaving mills, notwithstanding that the monies required for the purposes of such conversion shall not previously have been raised by the issue of new shares or otherwise.

The proceedings terminated with a vote of thanks to the chairman.

## MEETING OF THE CORPORATION.

AN adjourned special meeting of the Corporation was held on Saturday in the Municipal Offices, Captain Henry in the chair.

The minutes of last meeting were held as read.

Mr. Currey moved—"That the remaining items of income for the year 1874 be accepted at the amounts estimated by the Town Council and Municipal Commissioner and shown in pages 10 and 11 of the printed Budget."

The motion was seconded by Mr. Raghoonath Narayen and agreed to.

Mr Currey moved—"That the Budget estimate of expenditure for 1874 for the Town Council and Corporation establishment, &c. (Statement No. 3), amounting to Rs. 42,986, be passed by the Corporation."

The motion was seconded by Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee and agreed to.

Mr. Currey moved—"That the Budget estimate of expenditure for 1874 for the Municipal Commissioner's establishment (Statement No. 4), amounting to Rs. 37,952, be passed by the Corporation."

The Hon. Mr. Narayen Wassoodew seconded the motion, which was agreed to.

Mr. Currey moved—"That the Budget estimate of expenditure for 1874 for the Municipal Audit Account and Store Department (Statement No. 5), amounting to Rs. 38,124, be passed by the Corporation." He had heard that the item Rs. 850 for auditor and accountant was objected to, but he trusted that the Corporation would refrain from taking any hasty step involving the premature reduction or abolition of the appointment now worthily held by Mr. Thorburn. In the working of large undertakings, he (Mr. Currey) had had large experience, and he therefore knew full well the value of having officers so highly qualified as Mr. Thorburn to look after the accounts. Mr. Thorburn had rendered good service to the Municipality in the adjustment of past liabilities, and he was very well worth his salary. (Hear, hear.) He would finally observe that he vote upon his motion only covered appointments for one year.

Mr. Dossabhoy Framjee seconded the resolution.

Mr. Hormusjee Pestonjee Shroff moved that detailed tatement of the Budget No. 5 should be referred back o the Town Council for revision.

The Chairman—With a view to increase it? (Laughter.)

Mr. Hormusjee (excitedly) –No; to decrease it. (Laughter.)

Mr. Appajee Camble seconded the motion.

Mr. Janardhun Gopall in the course of a long and edious speech contended that what the Municipality ad to look to was whether the accountant's duties could ot be performed by a person on Rs. 400 or Rs. 500 as fficiently as they were at present by Mr. Thorburn. He moved that the present salary of that gentleman should be reduced to Rs. 400 or Rs. 500 per mensem.

Major Baker—Before these amendments are further onsidered it would be advisable for the movers to consider whether they really understand what it is they propose. It seems to me that they think this Budget has been "chucked" upon the table before the Corporation without any preconsideration whatever—(hear, hear)—whereas, I can inform them, the Municipal Commissioner, aided by twelve members of the Town Council, sat for no less then five days in considering it, and did not pass one single item without full and deliberate attention. (Applause.) To propose now that this Budget should be sent back to the Town Council without any reason being given for doing so seems to me to be quite absurd. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Hormusjee Pestonjee Shroff withdrew his amendment, and seconded Mr. Janardhun's.

The Hon. Mr. Narayen Wassoodew—The appointment of auditor is in the hands of the Municipal Commissioner.

Rao Sahib Vishwanath said that if a statement of Mr. Thorburn's services, especially those concerning the reductions he had effected in the store department, had been before the meeting, it was doubtful whether even Mr. Janardhun would have proposed such an amendment. (Hear, hear.) A large amount of property, amounting to more than 7 lakhs, has been especially entrusted to the accountant, and as the system of cutting down the municipal expenditure by reorganizing departments was being gradually initiated, he thought the proposition to cut down the salary of the chief of an important section of the Municipal establishment should be most seriously considered before being agreed to. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. James Taylor was very well pleased to hear these remarks upon this subject. He knew Mr. Thorburn's capacity and great abilities, and he thought the Corporation were exceedingly fortunate to have such a servant: to reduce his salary would be a great mistake in the present condition of affairs. He would have been glad to see Mr. Thorburn's salary fixed at the maximum in the Budget, but as the Town Council had not done so he accepted their decision. It might be a very easy thing to get a person to do the accountant's work for Rs. 500 a month, but it would be quite another thing to get a person to perform the duties as Mr. Thorburn did. He was sorry that such an amendment had ever been proposed, and his advice to the Corporation was—keep a good servant when you have him and pay him properly. (Applause.)

Dr. Hewlett, as former head of an important department in the Municipality, could say conscientiously that he had never known an officer who did his duties more conscientiously than Mr. Thorburn. To his knowledge Mr. Thorburn had saved the Municipality many lakhs of rupees. He had controlled and looked into matters connected with the Health Department which it was impossible for him (Dr. Hewlett) to investigate properly, and he had often had occasion to express his acknowledgments to Mr. Thorburn. He thought the Corporation would be making a great mistake if they were virtually to dismiss an officer who was so well acquainted with the accounts and store department as Mr. Thorburn was.

Dr. Joynt—We might get plenty of applications from persons to do Mr. Thorburn's duties for Rs. 500 a month, and if we were to choose one of them he would either be fit or unfit for the post. If not fit, he would be dismissed, and the Municipality would suffer; if fit, he would, when he became accustomed to his work, make it his first endeavour to get his salary increased. He would salaam the sahib-logue, as only natives know how to do, and having obtained their approval, and perhaps also got the same in writing from some weak members, he would come before us, and say, "Look here, I am doing the same duties as Thorburn Sahib did, and I want some advance." There is but one voice concerning Mr. Thorburn's efficiency for his duties. I expected that this discussion would have taken an opposite course from what it has taken, and I thought somebody would have proposed that Mr. Thorburn should have Rs. 1,000 a month. If such a proposition had been brought forward I would gladly have supported it. To dismiss a man like Mr. Thorburn for the sake of Rs. 500 or so would be simple madness or insanity.

The Municipal Commissioner—If the question were simply the question of obtaining an accountant, I would say Rs. 500 would be ample to obtain a man to do the work efficiently, but the fact is that Mr. Thorburn is a great deal more than an accountant simply, and is what the chief accountant of a Municipality like Bombay ought to be. In the first place, he has entire control of the department of stores, upon which a reduction in expenditure amounting to Rs. 9,000 a year has already been made. That reduction much more than covers the difference between Rs. 850 and the sum which the amendment now proposes to give to Mr. Thorburn. In the next place, Mr. Thorburn does scarcely more for the account department than he does for the other departments in the Municipality. Our accountant, properly speaking, is Mr. Sorabjee, who is a very good man, but Mr. Thorburn not only supervises the accounts, but is also expected to exercise a general control over the expenditure of the whole Municipality. I look upon his services as being of a most valuable character, and I say that I could not do the work which he does. The kind of control which he does—inquiring into all items, and endeavouring to find out whether they can possibly be cheaper done—is one which it would be impossible for me to do with the same efficiency as Mr. Thorburn, and yet attend to my other duties. (Applause.) Of course the Corporation may appoint simply an accountant at Rs. 500 a month, but I tell you frankly that in the first year you will lose much more than the Rs. 350 a month you will gain. (Applause.)

Mr. Ardaseer Framjee Moos and Mr. Macdonald also spoke against the amendment.

Mr. Janardhun then came with difficulty to the gist of another speech which he wished to make, and withdrew his amendment.

Mr. Currey moved—"That the estimate of expenditure for the year 1874 for the Assessment Department (Statement No. 6), amounting to Rs. 46,062, be passed by the Corporation."

Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee seconded the motion, which was agreed to.

Mr. Currey moved—"That the estimate of expenditure for 1874 for the Collection Department (Statement No. 7) including commission on collection of town duties and tobacco, amounting to Rs. 80,034, be passed by the Corporation."

The motion was seconded by Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee, and agreed to.

Mr. Currey moved—"That the Budget estimate of expenditure for the year 1874 for the Commissioner of Police (Statement No. 8), amounting to Rs. 3,63,574, be passed by the Corporation."

Mr. Dossabhoy Framjee, seconded the motion, which was agreed to.

Mr. Currey moved—"That the Budget estimate of expenditure for 1874 for the Public Health Department (Statement No. 9), amounting to Rs. 8,23,848, be passed by the Corporation." The amount contributed to the Goculdas Tejpall Hospital had been fully considered by the Town Council, which thought that the grant of Rs. 3,000 for six months was a fair one, considering the additional amount of hospital accommodation which the new hospital would provide for the native community. At present the Municipality had virtually no expenditure for hospitals, and he therefore hoped that this vote would be passed.

Mr. Shantaram Vithul seconded the motion, and hoped there would be no dissentient voice against it, although he was aware that there were in the Corporation men who would raise opposition against every blessed little thing brought before them. (Hear, hear.) He pointed out that there is an urgent necessity in Bombay for more hospital accommodation. The Jamsetjee Hospital did not contain enough accommodation for a city like Bombay, the total accommodation available being sufficient only for about 550 patients. The Municipality ought to be thankful to the executors of Goculdas Tejpall for the prompt manner in which they had come forward with over a lakh of rupees for the erection of an hospital. That sum unfortunately was not enough, but since Government had come forward liberally with a large sum of money, and had agreed to pay for the first supply of medicines and the pay of the staff—which altogether could not cost less than Rs. 22,000 year—for the Municipality to refuse to give the proposed grant would be very bad taste. He asked the Municipality to be generous in the matter, pointed to the fine site of the Goculdas Tejpall Hospital, and praised Dr. Hewlett.

Mr. Oliphant—I would like to ask the Municipal Commissioner whether we are likely to be called upon next year to undertake the support of other hospitals. I believe that for many years the question of erecting a new European General Hospital has been talked about, and I am wondering whether Government are waiting to see whether the Corporation after subscribing this Rs. 36,000 a-year for the Goculdas Tejpall Hospital intend also to saddle the Corporation with the expenses of the new European General Hospital. (Hear, hear.)

The Municipal Commissioner—So far as I know, Government have no intention whatever to ask for a contribution to the European General Hospital. (Hear, hear.) If there had been any such intention I think I would have heard of it. With reference to the question of dispensary grants, Government already incur such large medical expenses in Bombay tha they have decided that no further applications in this matter can be entertained. Government contribute very much more towards medical institutions of the city generally than is contributed by Government towards any other city in India. When I was Commissioner in the Central Provinces about 10 per cent. of the municipal funds of all the municipalities in my division were devoted to various medical objects. So far as this hospital is concerned I would put the matter to the Corporation in this way. If you refuse to give this grant, you must not expect Government to support the hospital, because, as I have said, Government have resolved not to do so; moreover, you will be giving back a lakh and a half of rupees to the trustees of Goculdas Tejpall; you will be giving Government a European General Hospital for nothing; and you will be depriving the poor of the city of hospital accommodation which they urgently require. (Applause.)

Dr. Gomes thought the mortuary grants were quite inadequate for the Roman Catholic burial places.

The Municipal Commissioner—The reason why none of the mortuary items were filled in is that we received no applications on the subject. The Catholic Bishop has asked me to have a personal conference with him and I hope to be able to meet his Lordship and talk over the subject with him.

The motion was carried.

Mr. Currey proposed—"That the Budget estimate of expenditure for 1874, for the Executive Engineer's Department (Statement No. 10), amounting to Rs. 8,74,682. be passed by the Corporation."

The motion was seconded by Mr. Rughoonath Narayen and agreed to.

Mr. Currey moved—"That the Budget estimate of expenditure for 1874 for the several public loans, sinking fund and interest thereon (Statement No. 11), amounting to Rs. 7,11,215, be passed by the Corporation."

The motion was seconded by Mr. Venayek Ramchunder and agreed to.

Mr. Currey moved—"That the Budget estimate of expenditure for 1874 for pensions (Statement No. 12), amounting to Rs. 6,921, be passed by the Corporation."

The motion was seconded by Mr. Muncherjee Nowrojee Banajee.

Mr. Oliphant wished to know if the item "discretional contingencies" was intended to meet payments in compensation for accidents from the new tramways which were about to be laid down in the city. (Laughter.)

The Municipal Commissioner said all he could reply was that discretional contingencies were discretional contingencies. When accidents from tramways happened, it would be in his discretion to say whether compensation in respect of the accident were a discretionary contingency or not. (Laughter.)

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. Currey said that in consequence of the estimated revenue from the increased duty upon liquor being at present doubtful some of the new works would have to be postponed, and he begged to move—That the new works proposed for 1874 be approved by the Corporation, but that an expenditure of one lakh only thereon be passed, the urgent works being deferred, in consequence of the diminished funds, which owing to the postponement of the increase of liquor duties, are available for new works. *Carried*.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Venayeck Ramchunder and agreed to.

Mr. Muncherjee Nowrojee Banajee mentioned that in 1872 the Bench of Justices received a petition from the inhabitants of Mazagon, praying that their supply of water should be increased, and in consequence thereof the Bench agreed that a new main should be laid down to Mazagon at a cost of Rs. 10,000. Up to this time, however, nothing had been done, and he would like to know whether the Municipal Corporation intended to do anything in the matter.

The Municipal Commissioner was sorry to say that petitions had been received upon the subject, nevertheless he did not think it advisable to lay a new main nor to make the alteration proposed, because his professional advisers had counselled him that to do so would be to cause a considerable loss of head on the Bombay supply. They had had an example of this in the case of Perel, where the main having been increased from 4 to 10 inches, there was a noticeable falling off in the supply to the city. All that could be done to the present main at Mazagon had been done, it having been thoroughly cleared out. When a larger supply was obtained from Tooljee he hoped that Mazagon would be deprived of any cause of complaint in respect of its water supply.

Dr. Blaney could not allow the Budget meeting to close without saying a word in favour of those whom he represented in the Corporation in respect to the way in which their part of the island was lighted. (Hear, hear.) A manifest injustice had been done to the people of Mahim for a number of years, and it was time that something was done to improve the lighting of the place.

The Municipal Commissioner said the item of Rs. 25,000 in the Budget for lighting was not sufficient to light the city properly, to do which, according to an estimate he had submitted to the Town Council, would require Rs. 1,40,000—a sum which the Town Council could not see their way to grant.

After some further remarks,

The Municipal Commissioner laid some papers on the table relating to a proposed dispensary at Matoonga. Dr. Rustomjee Khory had informed him that the son of the late Mr. Bomanjee Jeejeebhoy were prepared to give Rs. 10,000 for a dispensary at Matoonga provided that the Municipality of Bombay would only maintain it. There could be no doubt that such a dispensary would be extremely useful. He had written to Government about the expense, and they had replied that the Municipality would require to support the dispensary, and that a general resolution had been passed that no application for funds for this or any other dispensary in the island could be entertained. He (Mr. Pedder) had laid the matter before the Town Council, which decided that in consequence of granting Rs. 3,600 a month to the Goculdas Tejpall Hospital, the Municipality could not afford to support the dispensary at Matoonga.

Dr. Hewlett—I feel called upon to vote against a grant being made to this dispensary. I do not do so because there is no want of such an institution at Matoonga, as the fact is that there is a very urgent need for it, people stricken down at Matoonga with fever having to be taken to Parell or Coorla. But I vote against this on principle. It may be a very cheap way for people to get their names up, but I think that people who want to establish dispensaries ought always to endow them. (Hear, hear.) If that principle is carried out by our wealthy citizens they will do an immense deal of good.

Mr. Oliphant—I entirely agree with Dr. Hewlett, and I only regret that the same principle had not been applied in the case of the Goculdas Tejpall Hospital. (Laughter and applause.)

It was proposed by the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Venayek Ramchunder, and agreed to—"That the Municipal Commissioner be requested to inform Government that the Corporation are unable to contribute towards the cost of maintaining Messrs. Rustomjee M Khory's dispensary at Matoonga."

It was proposed by Mr. Muncherjee Nowrojee Bannajee, seconded by Dr. Cowasjee Hormusjee—That the best thanks of the Corporation are due to the Chairman and members of the Town Council for the very able and efficient manner in which they have performed their duties."

The motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Currey, on behalf of himself and his colleques returned thanks for the vote.

Dr. Dossabhoy Framjee then proposed a hearty vote of thanks to Captain Henry for his conduct in the chair, which was seconded by the Hon. Narayen Wassodewjee and carried *nem con*.

The meeting then separated.

## BOMBAY PORT TRUST.

EXCERPTS from the Proceedings of a Meeting of the Trustees of the Port of Bombay, held on the 13th inst.

Read letter dated 5th November, from the Traffic Manager, stating that when the Musjid Dock or Basin is commenced another landing slope will be required to accommodate the grain trade at Nicol Bunder. The cost of the slope is estimated by the Officiating Chief Engineer to be Rs. 8,000.

The Traffic Manager also recommends that the garbling warehouse, in course of erection on the Carnac Bunder, be reserved for piece-goods and other dutiable articles, and that a warehouse for garbling purposes be erected on the land estate.

*Resolution*.—Consideration postponed pending the decision of Government on the question of docks.

Read letter dated 7th November, from the Officiating Chief Engineer, reporting the accidental death of Pandoo, muccadum of coolies employed at the blasting operations in Carnac Basin. Mr. Ormiston asks the Trustees to grant some allowance to the man's family who were dependent on him.

*Resolution*.—A gratuity of six months' pay to be given to the relatives of Pandoo, muccadum, the amount to be charged to contingencies.

Submitted letter from the Municipal Commissioner, dated 31st October, regarding the disposal of the night-soil now taken to the depôt at Carnac overbridge.

As the letter has been published in the newspapers it was taken as read.

Read report by the Officiating Chief Engineer, dated 6th November, with regard to the 10th para. of Municipal Commissioner's letter, stating that the Mody Bunder could be made available for the shipment of night-soil by reclaiming as far out as the south wall is built.

*Resolution*.—No existing bunder can be placed at the disposal of the Municipal Commissioner for the purpose of discharging night-soil into barges. The only temporary arrangement of this kind which the Trustees can suggest is for the Municipal Commissioner to lease a portion of the Mody Bay estate and run out a staging into the harbour from which the night-soil might be discharged into hopper barges. In this way the night-soil depôt could be removed from the crowded neighbourhood of Carnac Bunder and the markets to the vacant arm of the Mody Bay Reclamation.

The Trustees also suggest that some immediate attempt be made to catch the sewage at Carnac Bunder outfall.

Read Government Resolution, dated 7th November, approving of the proposal by the Commissioner of Customs for opening Carnac Bunder for the import and export of all descriptions of dutiable goods.

*Resolution*.—To be recorded.

*Laid on the Table*.

Statement by the Superintendent, Government Observatory, that the time signal ball was dropped correctly in the week to 8th instant.

Memo. by Mr. Kittredge, dated 7th November, on the provision of docks upon the Trust property.

Report by Drs. S. Smith, Weir, and Blaney, dated 7th November, on the questions referred to them by the Trustees' resolution, No. 121, dated 23rd October 1873.

## PARELL ACCIDENT FUND.

THE annexed is a further list of subscriptions received on account of the Parell Accident Fund:—

| | Rs. a. | | Rs. a. |
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| W. E. Cradduck | 5 0 | Ruttonjee Pestonjee | 3 0 |
| Dulputram Umbaram | 5 0 | H. B. Wharton | 15 0 |
| Jumyetram B | 2 0 | Jamsetjee Rassajee | 3 0 |
| Hurgovandass B | 2 0 | Henry Hirschuhn | 20 0 |
| M whanker V | 1 0 | Devshunker Vasuniram | 3 0 |
| Mansookram Shewram | 5 0 | Dulshook Mooljee | 3 0 |
| Soorjram Bhai-hanker | 3 0 | Permanent waymen on division No. 3 B. B. & C. I. Railway | 196 13 |
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A CASTLE DESTROYED BY FIRE.—The Castle of Ardverikie, formerly the residence of the Duke of Abercorn, and in which her Majesty and the Prince Consort passed the autumn of 1847, has been almost destroyed by fire. The castle is now the property of Sir John Ramsden, M.P., and was visited by the Queen during her late visit to Badenoch. There were in the castle at the time of the outbreak Sir John and Lady Ramsden, Mr. Fraser, Mr. Macintosh, and Mr. Rhynd, architect. One feature within the castle was a number of wall etchings, life size, by the late Sir Edwin Landseer. When a guest at the castle, the great painter thus decorated three sides of the walls of the drawing-room, all the subjects being connected with the chase. These relics of Landseer, which were regarded as of inestimable value, have been totally destroyed.

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## THE TRIAL OF MARSHAL BAZAINE.

### NINTH DAY.

VERSAILLES, 15TH OCTOBER.

THE Court resumed its sitting to-day, when the Interogatory of Marshal Bazaine was proceeded with.

The Duc d'Aumale having put a question to the Marshal with regard to the order given to advance on the 26th of August, Marshal Baizsine replied that he had only at that time from 80,000 to 90,000 men ready to take the field. In answer to another question relative to the plan he intended to carry out, the Marshal stated that it was his intention to advance in the direction of Thionville.

The President here remarked that the Marshal had not given any orders for the pontoon train to be got ready, whereupon the accused explained that he subsequently did not think it desirable to undertake the movement in question, because he expected an attack from the enemy, and he did not believe Thionville capable of resistance. At another point of the examination the Duc d'Aumale observed that the fact of a Council of War having been assembled on the 25th of August in no way diminished the responsibility of the Commander-in-Chief, and he, moreover, asked the Marshal why he did not inform that council of the march of the army under Marshal MacMahon.

Marshal Bazaine, in reply, maintained contrary to the account given by General Boyer, that he did speak of it to the council.

Being interrogated as to his movement on the 31st of August Marshal Bazaine said a greater degree of watchfulness on the part of his lieutenants would have prevented the enemy from resuming the offensive. He gave it as his opinion that it was of no use to enlage the circle he occupied under the walls of Metz.

The Interrogatory then turned upon the question whether the Marshal had carried out the prescriptions of the military code respecting the armament and provisioning of Metz.

The Marshal declared that he had himself watched over the armament of the forts, and he threw upon General Coffinieres the responsibility for not having formed a council of defence, and upon the Intendants and Corp commanders that of having neglected to gather provisions in the neighbouring villages. He had given the necessary orders for these measures to be carried out.

The President hereupon remarked that regulations for the administration of a fortified place render the Commander-in-Chief responsible for all the measures taken during a siege.

In the further course of the Interrogatory Marshal Bazaine said it was through Commander Samuel that he learnt the news of the change of Government. He then entertained the idea of resigning his command. He explained that the event of the 14th of September was the menace to public order of which he spoke in his proclamation.

Being questioned respecting the Regnier incident, Marshal Bazaine admitted that he received him immediately on his arrival in Metz and had two interviews with him, adding, however, that he did not speak with that emissary of the various letters which had passed between him and Prince Frederick Charles. The accused declared that he attached no importance whatever to the signature he gave M. Regnier, and that he did not think of the use the latter might make of it. The Marshal denied that he had given M. Regnier any information about the state of the provisions, for he himself at that time had no knowledge of the real position of affairs in this respect. Being subsequently interrogated with regard to the journey of General Bourbaki, Marshal Bazaine said he considered it to be in the interest of the army and the country that an armistice should be obtained, and it was necessary for that object to communicate with the Empress Regent. He thought an understanding existed at the time between the German Government and the Empress.

The Court subsequently adjourned until Friday. According to appearances, his examination will last even longer than was expected. It was remarked to-day that the Duc d' Aumale, while speaking of the real fighting effective at the Marshal's disposal on the 26th of August, used the following expressions :—" Formerly, when we served together, the effective was reckoned by sabres and bayonets." The examination with regard to the Regnier incident and the departure of General Bourbaki was not carried any great length, the President merely seeking to set forth clearly the facts and the results of Marshal Bazaine's explanations. He made no comments upon the Marshal's replies and entered into no discussion, leaving that for the time when the witnesses will give oral evidence.

### TENTH DAY.

VERSAILLES, Oct 17.

The Court resumed its sitting to-day, and there was a very large number of persons present.

The Interrogatory of the Marshal by the President related to the attempts made by Marshal Bazaine to communicate with the Government of the National Defence.

The Duc d' Aumale remarked that the only despatches sent by the Marshal to that Government were those of the 15th of September and 21st of October. The Marshal stated in the course of the Interrogatory that it was not necessary to order General Bourbaki to inform the Government of the National Defence of the situation of the army in Metz.

Marshal Bazaine denied having received any communication from the Government of the National Defence. He added that in sending General Bourbaki to the Empress-Regent he sent him to the only legal representative in his view of the Government of the country. Moreover, General Bourbaki knew what he had to do.

The Duc d'Aumale said General Bourbaki communicated with the Government at Tours only on the 8th of October.

Marshal Bazaine explained that he did not know that general elections had been ordered, but the President observed that the news of this event had been published in the Metz journals, to which Marshal Bazaine rejoined that he awaited an official notification of the fact.

The Duc d'Aumale then remarked that the intention manifested by the Marshal of endeavouring to reach Thionville did not agree with the theory which he had broached—that after the capitulation of Sedan a sortie was impossible. The President proceeded to ask whether there did not exist a convention with the Prussians to cease all offensive action from the time of General Bourbaki's departure. Marshal Bazaine, in opposition to this view, remarked that engagements were fought subsequently—namely, in September and October. The President asked why he did not fight a serious engagement in order to support the negotiations carried on by the Government of the National Defence, of which he had cognizance. Marshal Bazaine replied that he did not undertake any important operations because he was impeded by a large number of wounded. Such a course would have necessitated his using up his army while the enemy was being continually reinforced. He wished to preserve his army as much as possible. In reply to a question as to why, in his reply to General Schlebe on the 29th of September he offered to capitulate, Marshal Bazaine replied that it was a trap which he laid for the enemy. In answer to more pressing questions relative to the meaning of the military convention and the honours of war, Marshal Bazaine said :—"My position was unprecedented. I was, in a certain sense, my own Government. The duties of a military chief are strict when the legal Government exists, but I by no means admit that to be the case in presence of an insurrectionary Government. There was no Government then ; there was nothing."

At this point of the examination a great sensation was observable in the Court, which was increased by the following exclamation from the Duc d'Aumale :—" What France then no longer existed ?" Marshal Bazaine protested that his proposals were misunderstood ; by the words " to obtain neutrality for the army " he meant to obtain an armistice in order to bring about the establishment of a regular Government.

The President subsequently quoted words employed by Marshal Bazaine, to the effect that the army of Metz would maintain order inside the city, and he pointed out that this was an allusion to civil war. Marshal Bazaine again protested against this interpretation, and said he did not make out things to be as serious as that. The Marshal added that he did not treat M. Regnier's mission seriously. But the Duc d'Aumale pointed out that all the steps taken by the Marshal at this period, his overtures, and his communications with the Germans, were most serious. He added, "When I think of that admirable army you commanded, and which you might have led to the last extremity—a French army—I hope that you weighed well all the results of the engagement which you wished to enter into with the Germans." Marshal Bazaine, in reply, reiterated that his ideas had been wrongly interpreted.

The sitting was suspended amid the utmost excitement.

It is stated that Marshal Bazaine requested that the sittings of the Court shall be shortened, in consequence of the extreme fatigue from which he suffered. The Duc d'Aumale replied that the wishes of the Marshal would be complied with.

On the resumption of the sitting the Duc d'Aumale ordered the statement made on the 10th of October by the Commandants of the Corps d'Armee to be read.

Marshal Bazaine stated that although at that time no mention was made of the Regnier and Bourbaki incidents, they were known to the Commandants of Corps, but he thought it his duty to keep secret his negotiations with the Germans, whereupon the Duc d'Aumale said, "Then I am compelled to ask you whether all your acts, all your thoughts, were for your country and your army."

Marshal Bazaine replied that they were, and that he always acted honestly and according to the dictates of his conscience.

With regard to General Boyer's journey to Versailles, the President asked whether the instructions given to that officer were really in harmony with the resolutions adopted at the Council of the 10th of October.

Marshal Bazaine replied that he thought himself entitled to push forward in this matter, as it had been decided that nothing should be finally settled without the advice of his lieutenants. With regard to the journey of General Boyer to England on the 19th of October, Marshal Bazaine said he hoped the Empress would obtain the conclusion of a convention, especially if she came to Metz.

The Duc d'Aumale, reminding the prisoner of the respect due to the laws contained by implication in his military oath, asked whether he had been tenacious of observing the regulations which forbid a capitulation in the open field. Marshal Bazaine replied that those regulations were made for ordinary circumstances ; the existence of an insurrectionary Government changed the state of affairs. The Duc d'Aumale insisted with great vigour upon this part of the examination, as may be seen from the following question he addressed to the Marshal :—

" Do you think, then, that in the Imperial Constitution to which you had sworn obedience, and to which you at that time still thought you ought to remain faithful, there existed any clause which empowered you to treat thus and to negotiate as you did with the enemy "

Marshal Bazaine replied "No," and in proof of his views he adduced the fact that he pushed resistance to the last morsel of bread.

To-day's examination was carried on in a very rigorous manner towards the prisoner, and on several occasions the Duc d'Aumale's questions and Marshal Bazaine's replies caused great and profound excitement in court.

The Court adjourned until 1 p. m. to-morrow.

M. Regnier, who has already published several pamphlets to justify his conduct, has asked the Government Commissary to arrest him if he thinks him a guilty party. This request has not been complied with up to the present, but it is understood that the Duc d'Aumale will use his discretionary power and order M. Regnier's arrest if, when he appears as a witness, his answers give evidence of the least culpability—*Times*.

## SPANISH AFFAIRS.

THE Carthagena insurgents have lost one of their ships by a collision with one of her consorts. On the 17th inst. General Contreras, with most of the members of the Junta, left Carthagena with the ships *Numancia*, *Tetuan*, *Mendez Nunez* and *Fernando el Catolico* for Valencia, on a foraging expedition, though not without suspicion of an intention to make their escape, and on the following morning, owing, it is understood, to the negligence of her officers, the *Fernando el Catolico* was accidentally run into and sunk by the *Numancia* off Alicante. The English fleet was near, but as it was dark the accident was not perceived until the *Numancia* had been some time making signals of distress, which were at first taken for signals to her distant consorts, and until the *Fernando el Catolico* had completely disappeared. It is believed that the greater part of her crew were drowned. The *Numancia* and her consorts then continued their course to Valencia, where they arrived on Sunday, and demanded money and provisions on pain of bombardment. The demand was refused, and Admiral Yelverton insisted on ninety-six hours' notice being given previous to the commencement of a bombardment. The insurgents, after plundering ten or twelve merchant ships—including, it is said, a Liverpoor vessel, the Bilbao—left the Valencian waters on Monday morning, and returned to Carthagena, taking with them four of the vessels they had stopped. It is stated that the insurgents took from these vessels "several articles of merchandise, particularly silk, not useful for military purposes." Their comrades inside the city made a sortie on Tuesday, but were repulsed. It is reported at Madrid that bread is beginning to fail in the besieged city. The Spanish squadron has left Gibraltar to resume the naval blockade, under the command of the Minister of Marine. Admiral Lobo, against whom public opinion is greatly excited, has written to the *Epoca*, requesting that judgment on his conduct may be suspended until his explanations have been heard before the court martial which he has demanded. He has, it is said, stated to to the Government, in explanation of his conduct in leaving Carthagena and returning to Gibraltar, that the engines of the *Vitoria* were out of order, and that forty-eight hours were necessary to repair them. This vessel was the only ironclad in his squadron, and Admiral Lobo points out that he could not have gone to Alicante, or any other port, because the *Vitoria*, deprived of her steam power, could not have resisted the insurgent ironclads. The Spanish Government is reported to have made strong representations to the foreign Powers respecting the conduct of a French vessel during the late naval engagements, which it is asserted was intentional. The Madrid papers accuse the French consul at Carthagena of not observing strict neutrality, and assert that the insurgents are supplied with provisions by French steamers from Oran.

The other news from Spain is not very important. A Carlist success in Catalonia is reported, and there has been some fighting between General Loma and the Carlist leader Lizarraga ; in which, as usual, both sides report that they have been victorious. There are further reports of dissensions in the Carlist ranks, and it is stated that in the province of Lugo numerous Carlist deserters have come over to the Republican head-quarters, asking to be amnestied. The Carlist leader Manuel Ledo has presented himself for that purpose. At Madrid the members of the Progressista and Democratic parties have held a meeting, at which the programme of their future attitude was agreed upon. Senor Zorilla has arrived at Madrid, and there is a rumour that Senor Figueras is going to the United States to attend a meeting of the representatives of the South American States which is to be held in Washington, to discuss the situation of Cuba.—*Pall Mall Budget*.

## THE EMPEROR OF GERMANY AT VIENNA.

THE Emperor of Germany arrived at Vienna on the 17th inst., and has had a very cordial reception. He was received at St. Poelten by the Emperor Francis Joseph, and the two Emperors, we are told, "embraced each other three times." The Emperor of Austria "shook Prince Bismarck warmly by the hand," and the Emperor William gave the Austrian Crown Prince "a markedly cordial greeting." Bishop Rinder and all the members of the Cathedral Chapter were also present, and the Emperor William "shook hands with the Bishop in a friendly manner, and conversed with him for some time." On their way to the Palace of Schonbrunn the Imperial party were enthusiastically cheered by immense crowds of people. The Vienna journals published articles welcoming the Emperor of Germany to the Austrian capital, and praising his Majesty for rebuking the "presumptuous claims" of the Pope. On Saturday the two Emperors spent several hours together in the Exhibition. When the Emperor William entered the Rotunda "the great bells rung, four grand organs struck up a hymn, and within and without there was tremendous cheering from the 80,000 visitors present. In many of the transepts, on the Emperor appearing, the 'Wacht am Rhein,' was played by harmoniums and pianos. Later in the day the same thing again occurred, when Count Andrassy led Prince Bismarck through the Exhibition" There have been also State visits to the opera, hunting parties, and other festivities, and the German Emperor has been so pleased with his reception, that he has resolved to stay longer than he originally intended. On Tuesday evening there was a Court dinner at the Imperial Castle. At this dinner the Emperor Francis Joseph proposed the following toast :—" My most heartfelt wish—namely, to welcome my dear friend and brother before the close of the Universal Exhibition in Vienna—having been fulfilled, I raise my glass with joyful heart and warm thanks to the welfare of our dear guest. Long live his Majesty the German Emperor and King of Prussia !" The Emperor William replied :—" Your Majesty,—Allow me to express my warmest and most friendly thanks for the gracious words we have just heard. I join thereto the expression of my gratitude for the hospitable and friendly reception which the Empress, my consort, and my children met with here. It is especially gratifying to me to have been able to return during the Exhibition the friendly visit which your Majesty, together with his Majesty the Emperor of Russia, paid to Berlin last year. The friendly sentiments exchanged between us then, and which have been repeated here now in their full extent, are a pledge of European peace and of the future welfare of our peoples. I drink to the prosperity of the Emperor of Austria and King of Hungary, my exalted friend and brother."

On Monday the Emperor Francis Joseph visited Prince Bismarck, and conferred with him for more than half an hour. Prince Bismarck then had an hour's interview with the Italian Envoy, and afterwards conferred for three hours with Count Andrassy. The latter also received a visit from the Emperor William, and the two Emperors had a conference of half an hour's duration. The *Presse* says that the chief subjects of negotiation between Count Andrassy and Prince Bismarck have been legislation on ecclesiastical questions, and an identical attitude with regard to the next Papal election. The reception given to his Majesty at Vienna, not only by the Court but also by the press and people, has been answered by most cordial articles in the Berlin journals.

One of the results of the Emperor William's visit has been, it is said, "the fullest reconciliation between the Austrian Court and the Grand Duke of Baden, who in the war of 1866 lost favour there." The Crown Prince of Denmark was received on Sunday afternoon by the two Emperors, and on Monday the Prince and Princess Charles of Prussia arrived from Italy, and were met by the Emperor of Austria at the railway station. The Crown Prince of Denmark, it is stated has been endeavouring to induce the Emperors of Austria and Germany to carry out the 5th Article of the Treaty of Prague. It is not considered impossible (a telegram says) that Prince Bismarck will make a concession to Denmark, and at least consent to the relinquishment of the clearly Danish territories, to the possession of which but little importance is attached by the Prussian general staff. It is also believed that the German Reichstag would in that case also offer no opposition. Concessions have at all events been facilitated, since the execution of the Articles can no longer now as formerly constitute a means of agitation on the part of France against Germany.

## PICKINGS FROM PUNCH

OCTOBER 25.

### SPORTING NEWS.

"The Cambridgeshire" seems likely to be a walk over for "House of Yorke."

### PROMOTION.

If the price of fuel continues to rise, coal will soon be entitled to take higher mineralogical rank, and to be classed with precious stones.

### CONFESSION IN CONFUSION.

Priest.—" Now, tell me, Doolan, truthfully, how often do you go to Chapel ?"

Pat.—" Will, now, shure o'll till yer Riv'rence the truth. Faix I go as often I can avoid !"

### MALAPROPIANA.

Our good friend, Mrs. Malaprop, has heard so many lying stories told her by begging letter writers, that she resolves in future to persecute all such impostors, according to the laws of the Mendacity Society.

### REASSURING.

Traveller in Ireland (*rheumatic, and very particular*).—" Now I hope the sheets are clean ?"

Kathleen (the Chambermaid).—" Clane, sor ! Shure they're just damp from the mangle, sor ?"

### A SWEET TITLE.

The *Ceylon Observer* suggests that "the Prince of Kandy" would be a right royal title to bestow, say on the second son of the Prince of Wales—the little Prince George." Our candid opinion is, that the little Prince himself (born June 3rd, 1865) might prefer to be Prince of Sugar Kandy.

### FROM THE COAL DISTRICTS.

My Lady.—" I'm afraid I must give up the pine-apple, Mr. Green ! Eight shillings is really too much !"

Successful Collier.—" Just pitch 'um up for *me* then, Master. 'Ere's 'arf a sovereign ; and look 'ere—yer may keep the change if yer'll only tell us 'ow to cook 'um !"

### DOUBTFUL LUXURY.

Ethel.—" Were you not pleased to have such a pretty partner as Miss Myrtle at croquet yesterday, Charlie ?"

Charlie.—" Well-y—personally, I dislike beauty. Acknowledged belles have a way of making a fellow feel himself of secondary consideration sometimes, don't you know ?"

### HENRI CINQ.

Scene—The Boulevards. Halfred and 'Arry meeting, and discussing French politics.

Halfred. I say, 'Arry, what'll this ere County Shambor call 'imself if he comes to the throne !

'Arry.—Well, you see, he considers if he comes up to the surface, they oughtn't to call him 'Enry Sank, but 'Enry Rose.

### A BAD ROAD BLOCKED.

Miss Rhoda Garrett writes to contradict the reports that her canvassing against Mr. Henry James, as the most determined opponent of Women Suffrage, was one of his principal helps to the head of the poll at Taunton. His friends must be glad to hear it. It could not have been a pleasant thought to them that a member in every way so desirable should have found his way into the House *via* the Garret.

### FLUNKEYANA (A FACT, AS USUAL.)

"Please'm, I wish to leave this day month ?"

"Very well, George ; but what is your reason ?"

"Well, m'm ever since I been here I've only had butcher's meat on a week !"

"'Once a week !' Why, you have beef every Sunday and mutton every day ; to say nothing of hares and rabbits at supper ?"

"Master kills his own mutton, m'm. I don't call that butcher's meat."

### HISTORICAL CORRESPONDENCE.

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PIUS TO WILLIAM.

YOUR Majesty should be aware,
For 'tis a terrible affair,
That Bismarck and his atheist crew
Are now quite a rod on you,
And strongly glad by force or tricks
To extirpate your Catholics.
Sire, really you must mind your eye,
Or down your throne comes, by-and-by.
I speak the truth to great and small,
Heretics, Caffres, and all ;
For all who've been baptised, you see,
Belong, or more or less, to me.
You'll come to grief, *judicio meo*,
So, bless you much, dear William.

Vatican, August 7. PIO.

WILLIAM TO PIUS.

Your Holiness must have been drugged,
Or, say the less of it, humbugged.
No Minister or crown can go
A step ahead if I say No.

But, Holiness, your blessed priests,
Joining with communistic beasts,
Have lit fierce fire, and wild y fanned it ;
And dash my buttons if I stand it !

How Christian clergymen can dare
Such things, I neither know nor care,
But since they choose to put me to it,
I'm to keep order—and I'll do it.

The best course you can take's to fly down,
And bid your people to knuckle down
As for bel nging to a Pope,
I'm duly grateful for soft soap,

But only know one Mediator
Between myself and my Creator.
But, notwithstanding credo, still I am,
Your peaceful and devoted

Berlin, September 3. WILLIAM.

### ADVICE.

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Though prices are surprising ;
For this same coal that's high to-day,
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And dearer will be getting.

That man is blest whose cellar's full
For days will not grow warmer ;
But what we want to see, John Bull,
Is some great coal reformer.

Then be not rash, but take advice—
All ye who wish to marry :
With coals and meat at such a price,
You would be wise to tarry.

LEGITIMACY AND THE FRENCH ARMY.—The *Gironde* states that some circumstances have recently occurred which have caused great surprise and indignation at Bordeaux. "On Sunday last," it says, "some 50 dragoons went to Pessac upon the invitation of their colonel, to be present at a mass performed by a young Franciscan priest, Pere Francois, formerly a chaplain at the Camp of Candale. In the course of his sermon Pere Francois represented society as being in a desperate condition, and referred to his auditory, hearers as a strong element of safety. The colonel, who was present also, was lauded by the preacher. After the mass Pere Francois led the soldiers to an inn at Canderan, where they all freely indulged till late in the evening. Some persons assert that when the time approached for the soldiers to return to barracks the priest produced colonel's permission to remain out until 10 o'clock. Others assert that, having returned late to their quarters, the men were punished, but that the punishment was remitted at the instance of Pere Francois. At all events, it is a fact that the monk and the soldiers were seen walking together arm in arm in very high spirits and singing. It is asserted also that the cry of '*Vive Henri V.!*' was raised." The copy of two regimental orders read at the opera is needed. One acquaints them with the fact that Pere Francois, in his capacity as chaplain to the camp of St. Medard, invites the troops to attend a mass which he proposes to celebrate in testimony of their good conduct. "The colonel leaves every one perfectly free to attend this mass or not, but he urges those who are in the habit of fulfilling their religious duties to be present at the mass in question. The greatest facility will be afforded to the men for that purpose, even to those under arrest ; and the colonel will feel it to be his duty to accept the invitation of Pere Francois." The second order, dated October 5 runs thus :—The colonel remits the punishment of the men who were punished, and who attended the mass of Pere Francois."

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This Company is prepared to grant ENDOWMENT ASSURANCES on the POSITIVE SYSTEM, with participation in Profits. The amounts thus assured are payable to the Assurant at 50, 55, 60, or 65 years of age.

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| 35 | 116 | 2 | 8 | 64 | 2 | 0 | 47 | 2 | 8 |
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| 40 | 43 | 4 | 0 | 38 | 6 | 4 | 35 | 11 | 4 |
| 45 | 48 | 4 | 8 | 43 | 10 | 0 | 41 | 0 | 8 |
| 50 | 55 | 2 | 0 | 50 | 8 | 0 | 48 | 5 | 4 |
| 55 | 64 | 8 | 0 | 60 | 6 | 8 | 58 | 12 | 8 |
| 60 | 78 | 4 | 8 | 74 | 12 | 8 | 73 | 13 | 4 |

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